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NOEL TO THE WORLD and the neighborhood in the 1500 block of Joy Avenue. Nearly 5,000 miniature, twinkling lights and many familiar figures are seen Wednesday evening at the home of Donald Elmore, 1540 Joy Ave. He and his nephew, Richard Channess, annually begin the task of setting up the display shortly after Thanksgiving Day and usually turn on the lights during the first days of December. At left are two snowmen and Santa Claus. Santa

also appears on the roof with his sleigh and reindeer. Below the sleigh is "Merry Xmas" as all spelled out in lights, and on the peak of the house at right is the word Noel. An illuminated nativity scene is below the lighted Noel. Trees in the yard also have been strung with brilliantly colored lights. Another 1,000 lights were to be set up, but time ran out.

(Press-Record Photo by Pat Foley)

Santa busy

By MICK STRANGE of the Press-Record
As Christmas approaches almost every group is having a party. Many are either planning to have a visit from or planning to visit Santa Claus. Santa is expected to arrive at dark on Friday in Pontiac Beach. He will tour the village escorted by police and will give out candy to children.

Parents are being asked to keep their youngsters inside their homes until they hear the sirens and horns which will mark Santa's arrival in their neighborhoods.
On behalf of the City of Granite City, Mayor Paul Schuler is inviting local families to join in the city's first annual Christmas festival Friday.

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Holiday closings

Next Monday, Dec. 24, Christmas Eve, will be nearly a normal work day for most people. But everything except essential services like firefighting, police and health care will be closed Tuesday, Dec. 25, Christmas Day. Among the offices closed Monday will be the City Hall in Granite City, savings and loan institutions, schools, realtors, and all United States government offices except the post offices. There will be mail delivery on Monday and the lobby of the main post office will be open from 9 a.m. until noon. The Nameoki and Mitchell

branch offices will be closed on Monday. It was announced today by Granite City Postmaster Jack Wilkins that on Monday morning Santa Claus will be at the main post office helping out until the noon closing. The First National Bank in Madison will be open until 2 p.m. Monday, with all other area banks closing all services at 2 p.m. Monday. Other offices open Monday will include the Madison and Venice City Halls, Madison County Courthouse in noon. The Nameoki and Mitchell

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United giving sets \$666,458 record

Aided by a record \$215,000 from the Granite City Steel Labor-Management Torch Club, Tri-Cities Area United Way Fall 1979 campaign receipts have reached \$666,458.

The reports and pledges received to date, setting a new record in local community giving, amount to 110.7 percent of last year's contributions which had resulted in \$601,913

allocations to local services and United Way Agencies in calendar 1979. Tri-Cities Area United Way Campaign Chairman George J. Knecht, a United Steelworkers District 34 representative, made the announcement today.

"As a result of this year's super United Way giving, ongoing programs and services as recommended by the United Way Budget Allocations Committee can be met if approved by the TCAUW, board of directors," he noted.

"Unfortunately, as another result, this year's giving does not provide the expanded financial base which was sought to incorporate many good proposals for new agencies or services in 1980. This means most will fund on the shelf another year."

"Included in these were new funding requests from Central Baptist

Children's Services, U.S.O., Traveler's Aid Society, Illinois Center for Autistic Children, further expansion of central information and referral services, and greater opportunities for service expansion through Title XX matching funding programs for United Way agencies.

"The final results also temporarily preclude further planning for full inclusion of other bonafide private, non-profit health and welfare agencies which might otherwise seek UW funding."

"Finally, and again on the plus side, the greatly expanded giving base can be combined with re-allocation of contributions applied to current budgets from prior years—available because of increases from other sources, and because of earned income."

"There are lower expenditures for some budgeted items than proposed at

the beginning of the year. There are improved controls of disbursements and accountability by several United Way agencies, including Catholic Charities, Protestant Welfare and the

United Way staff. "There also are lower than projected collection losses due to non-payment of pledges caused by employment

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Merry Christmas from the GC school board—tax cut

With the corporate personal tax replacement having passed its court test, the Granite City School Board on Tuesday night formalized its planned 49-cent tax rate cut.

Deadline for filing school tax levies is the last Tuesday in December.

Tully Heubner, director of business affairs, commented that "since this is the first year the replacement tax will

be used in lieu of the corporate personal property tax, the actual mechanics of the distribution, how the amount is to be considered in the levies, and the basic mechanics of the program have not been used."

"In August, we received guidelines from the Illinois Department of Local Government Affairs as to how these

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Measles clinic likely at GC high schools

The likelihood of a measles clinic at the two Granite City high schools in 1980 was noted by the School Board during its meeting Tuesday night after reviewing the topic with Supt. E. J. Davis, pupil personnel administrator Vasil Efthimoff and Mrs. Betty Bartels of the school nurse staff. Illinois has become a problem state

despite strong efforts by parents and doctors to provide immunization, it was noted. Types and timing of previously recommended vaccines have proved inadequate, requiring additional immunization for many students born before 1968, the discussion showed.

The state is so concerned that it has

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Real estate tax bonds for overpass

By HARRY BARNES of the Press-Record

Use of general obligation bond funds up to \$1 million was endorsed by the Granite City Council Tuesday night as a means of financing any extra cost of a second bid on the city's downtown overpass project exceeds available

revenue again. Mayor Paul Schuler told the aldermen that overpass bids will be accepted again by the Illinois State Department of Transportation on Jan. 25 without further change in specifications.

The idea of a \$1 million general obligation bond issue to finance any

cost overage between a new bid and the overpass fund was approved by the mayor's ad hoc committee during a meeting preceding the council's regular Tuesday night session.

City Attorney Lance Callis told the committee that as a home rule community, Granite City may issue general

obligation bonds without referendum to make local improvements. He said the cost on \$1 million in bonds would range about five cents per \$100 assessed valuation.

The mayor noted that the city's \$5.3 million in funds overpass do not represent "one single penny in tax

money from property owners. I don't believe they would object to helping the project to this small extent."

All other funds to finance the overpass have come from state, federal and regional agencies, plus a contribution from Granite City Steel (National Steel Corp.), it was mentioned.

The ad hoc committee approved the project and it later was presented to the council and approved.

The council then approved a resolution instructing the DOT to reject the Nov. 30 bid of \$6,400,504 which was

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State unsure it wants lake park

By GARY SCHNEIDER of the Press-Record

The rapid filling of Horseshoe Lake with silt was the primary concern expressed at a meeting of officials from several state and federal agencies and of local persons concerned with the future of the lake Monday afternoon.

Robert Thornberry, site planner for the Illinois Department of Conservation, said the state has nearly halted its purchase of land for the state park at Horseshoe Lake "until we can determine it is a manageable asset. At this point, the siltation and the water level are not manageable."

Thornberry said he feels the lake should be maintained at 404 feet above sea level for recreational purposes, but other interests, primarily local drainage, dictate that the level of the lake be changed from time to time.

The lake level currently is at 406 feet,

two feet higher than what Thornberry regards as the "normal pool" for the lake.

He said a management plan will have to be developed with the cooperation of all interested, dictating who is responsible for maintaining the level of the lake and what that level will be before major park planning can be completed.

Changing the level of the lake changes the shoreline which the DOC is attempting to develop, and adds to erosion of the banks by the water, he said.

However, Thornberry stressed, the limited land acquisition now underway is included in the initial plan. There are no plans, at this time, to purchase property from several major landholders around the lake, until the DOC is convinced its investments in the lake will not go to waste, he added.

The filling of the lake with sediment was blamed on its use as a water retention area in periods of heavy rainfall.

William Nichols, a landowner near the lake, contended one storm this spring spread a four-inch layer of silt over much of the lake, particularly in an area where a delta is being formed around the inflow channel from the Cahokia Canal.

The Cahokia Canal is designed to empty its water into the Mississippi River, through the North Pump Station at East St. Louis. But heavy rains occasionally fill the canal beyond its capacity and the Metro-East Sanitary District diverts excess water from the canal into the lake.

The rapidly-moving water carries a great deal of sediment from erosion on the bluffs and along the path of the canal; and when the water slows down

in the lake, it drops the sediment to the bottom of the lake, it was contended. The delta, which has been formed in recent years, is evidence of this, Nichols said.

Nichols also blamed the Metro-East Sanitary District for part of the problem, asserting the sanitary district allows the gates west of the lake outlet to become blocked with debris, forming a dam and forcing water to be diverted into the lake.

Russell Robinson, president of the sanitary district board, disagreed, saying, "Everytime we get a call there is debris blocking the gates, we send a crane out there to clean it out. The exception is on weekends when we cannot afford to send a crew out, except in extreme emergencies. We are broke, I guess you know," Robinson said.

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Assessor retires

Chouteau Township Assessor Charles Lexow, who has served as a township official nearly 40 years, is resigning from his post, effective Dec. 31.

His letter of resignation was accepted with regrets by the Chouteau Township Board of Trustees Monday night. The letter gave no reason for the sudden resignation and Lexow told the Press-Record yesterday, "I am not commenting on the resignation. I decided that I wanted to resign for personal reasons."

He said he expects the town board to appoint someone to fill the post before

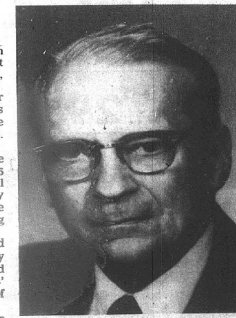
his resignation becomes effective. An appointee will fill the assessor's post until the next township election, which is in April 1981.

Lexow was the tax collector for Chouteau Township for many years before becoming the assessor in the 1977 election, when Assessor O. R. Reeves retired.

Lexow was an insurance agent for the Hartford Fire Insurance Co. for 25 years and retired recently from Shell Oil Co., where he worked in the refinery laboratory. He is a member of the International Union of Operating Engineers.

Lexow is a charter member and former auditor of the Madison County Township Officials' Association and was a director of the Tax Collectors' Division of the Township Officials of Illinois.

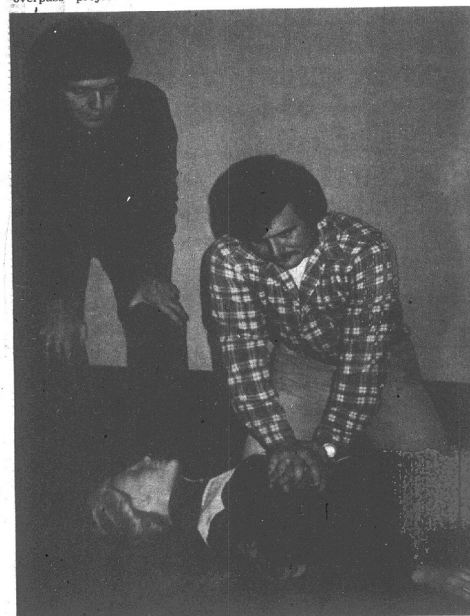
He and his wife, Marguerite, have two married daughters, Suzanne and Nancy.



CHARLES E. LEXOW
Resigning as assessor

Weather outlook

Sunny and mild today with high in low 50s. Clear and cool tonight with low in mid-30s. Increasing cloudiness and mild Friday, upper 50s. Winds southeast 5-10 miles per hour today and tonight. Saturday and Sunday—variable cloudiness, above normal temperatures with a slight chance for showers. Lows in mid-30s to low 40s and highs in mid-50s and low 60s. Monday—high mid-40s to 50.



RESUSCITATION TRAINING and other cardiopulmonary aid techniques are demonstrated to Southwestern Illinois bricklayer apprentices here. Albert G. Pritchett (left), Paul Schrage and Steve Missey served as instructors. Daniel Waugh (right) is practicing resuscitation. Related pictures and text are on Page 30.

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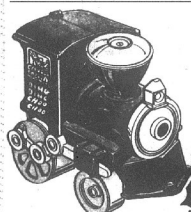


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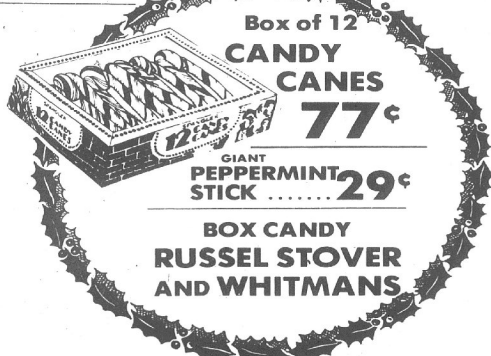
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PSEUDORABIES TESTS REQUIRED FOR SWINE
According to Dr. Paul Doby, superintendent of the Illinois Department of Agriculture's Division of Meat, Poultry and Livestock Inspection, Illinois swine producers must follow new pseudorabies testing regulations, effective Jan. 1. A health certificate or test record showing a negative reaction within the previous 60 days to pseudorabies must accompany all breeding stock over four months of age that are sold, traded, loaned or leased within Illinois. Because the test takes about 10 days for completion, marketing decisions may have to be made earlier.

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When a taxpayer gets mad

(Off beat-an occasional column by members of the Press-Record news staff.)

By GARY SCHNEIDER

Many people write their senators and congressmen frequently, and others just think about it a lot. I am one of the latter. I get mad, and I sometimes even write a letter to my Representative in Washington, D.C. But, somehow, it never seems to get in the U.S. mail.

Maybe it is a subconscious fear that the last place a criticism of the U.S. government should go is into the U.S. government-owned mailbox. If the mailbox knew what was in the letter, it would just eat it, and my congressman would never know that I wrote it. To add insult to injury, I would be out the 15 cents for the stamp, and "you-know-who" would be 15 cents richer—the U.S. government.

A phone call to the White House would be even more expensive, and I doubt that Jimmy would answer the phone, even if I went to the expense. Besides, the phone number for the president of the United States is not listed, even in the new Quad-City area telephone directory. I checked.

Maybe I will send a telegram to the White House, or my congressman. I have seen television newscasts of the telegram machine at the White House just spitting out one steady stream of messages, so I know it would get there. But I am afraid mine would just get lost in the stacks, and I would be out a few bucks, which I should save if I am going to be able to pay my taxes April 15.

I guess I will just keep my gripes about the U.S. government to myself. I may

tell my friends I plan to vote against many incumbents because I am mad about windfall profits for the oil companies, I am mad about the small token tax relief given by the state, I am mad that income taxes are so complicated I already dread next April 15.

I am mad because every time I see more than two cars in line at a gas station I

think the next gas shortage has come.

I am mad about a lot of things, but I guess my congressmen, senators and representatives will never know, unless I get a chance to get some postage stamps. I just hate to give the 15 cents to the man at the U.S. Post Office. After all, shouldn't I be mad at him, too?

Burglary at GC apartment

When Rhonda Sears, 2909 Buxton Ave., returned home about 2 p.m. Monday, she found the door open to her second floor apartment.

Drawers in the kitchen and bedroom had been ransacked. Stolen were rolls of pennies and quarters, amounting to \$25, and three bottles of medication, valued at \$18.

Marriage licenses issued in this area

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following couples:
Anthony J. Bodi and Elena L. Vasquez; Stephen L. Hayden and Sandra K. Wilkiewicz; Ricky Dean Lipe and Mary Ann Farmer; Randal D. Parker and Cora A. Byrd; Terry G. Clark and Kathleen S. Basden; Frank C. Dilallo and Brenda S.

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Miller; Simon R. Eastep Sr. and Marcella L. Cox; Mark A. Hatscher and Cynthia D. Kopp; David Scott Horton and Linda Susan Gramlich, all of Granite City.
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Memorial services for Mrs. Wilson

Memorial services were conducted Tuesday evening at a Granite City funeral home for Mrs. Helen M. (Children) Wilson, 68, of 2304 Winters Drive.

She was pronounced dead near her home at 7 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Wilson was found at 7 a.m. in front of 2305 Winters Drive by a neighbor who notified police. She had been under a doctor's care and had been hospitalized twice during the last few weeks.

Mrs. Wilson was born in Jacksonville, Ill., and had lived in Springfield, Ill., before moving to this area 25 years ago.

She retired in 1976 from St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis. Mrs. Wilson had been employed for 25 years as a nurse.

Survivors include three sons, James E. Wilson, Racine, Wis., Donald L. Jenkins, St. Louis, and Steven Wilson, Aurora, Ill.; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are given in the obituary column.

Child hit by van near school

Dena Sampson, 7, of 1733 Edison Ave., was struck by a van from which she had just alighted Monday in the 2000 block of Benton Street.

She was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center and had X-rays made before being released.

The child was walking toward Emerson School, where she is a pupil, in front of a van operated by Warren P. Leimer of Beecher, Ill., when hit by the vehicle in the left leg.

Leimer said Dena had just gotten out of the van and he believed she had crossed the street at the rear of the vehicle.

He failed to see the child in front and had moved about three feet before realizing he had struck something and stopped, Leimer said.

RELEASED ON BOND

Ronnie Skinner, 32, of 703 N. 28th St., was released on \$100 cash bond at 12:15 a.m. Saturday after being charged with driving while intoxicated. He was arrested in the 1900 block of Madison Avenue after allegedly being seen driving a white van onto the sidewalk near Marino Dodge.

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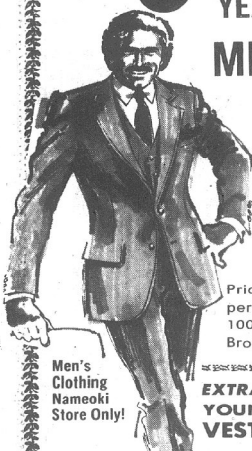
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I'll be home at Christmas — if only by the telephone

Many of the bells that ring on Christmas Day will be telephone bells. American Telephone and Telegraph estimates that Christmas callers will make a record number of nearly 10 million interstate long distance calls on Christmas Day, including 550,000 overseas calls. This will be 15 million more calls than were made last year.

Illinois Bell customers who need help will get it from 1,200 long distance operators and 800 directory assistance operators who will be on duty throughout the state on Christmas Day.

John Trutter, vice-president of the company's operator services department, said Illinois Bell operators will help Christmas callers place about one million calls, including an estimated 85,000 interstate long distance calls.

In the 312 area code (Chicago metropolitan area), about 850 long distance operators will handle an estimated 340,000 calls. In the rest of the state, about 350 operators will help put through an estimated 153,000 other long distance calls.

Illinois Bell advises callers to dial their own calls. Direct-dialed calls go through faster and cost less.

The flow of calls will be monitored constantly at hundreds of Bell System and independent company locations throughout the country, according to Dick Esrey, network operations manager for AT&T's Long Lines Department.

Whenever a circuit becomes loaded, calls will be instantaneously sent by other routes. "Traditionally, Christmas calling causes heavy traffic on usually low-volume routes," Esrey said. "That is

because people call from home, instead of their places of business, and because the conversations tend to last twice as long."

Callers will receive a 35 percent discount on all domestic direct-dialed calls placed between 8 a.m. and 11 p.m. on Christmas Day.

The 60 percent night discount will apply on all direct-dialed calls placed from 11 p.m. Christmas night to 8 a.m. the following day.

Trutter offers the following Christmas calling tips: — If possible, place the holiday call before 6 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 24. This will help ease the rush and ensure that the call goes through.

Although still busy, the slowest calling period on Christmas Day is between 3 and 6 p.m.

Dial long distance calls whenever possible, to save both time and money. Domestic dial rates — no matter what the hour — are lower than operator-assisted calls.

— Have numbers for domestic and international calls available ahead of time. If it's necessary to call directory assistance, do so before the holiday.

Determine if your home is equipped for International Direct Distance Dialing. Many customers can now dial their own international calls to 64 overseas locations. AT&T does not accept advance requests for Christmas calls to those countries.

— Check with an operator in advance to determine if night rates apply to your international calls. There are no holiday rates for international calls, but night rates apply in some countries.

Gerald Farris dies at 63

Gerald H. Farris, 63, of Granite City, a retired businessman, died at 10:10 p.m. Monday at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis.

He had owned and operated the G.A. Farris Excavating Co. in Granite City for 15 years prior to his retirement in 1973.

Mr. Farris was born in Corbin, Ky., and had moved to this area 27 years ago. He

had been ill for nine years and was hospitalized for one week.

He was of the Protestant faith. Mr. Farris was a former member of Teamsters Local 525, Alton, and the Operating Engineers, Granite City.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Lillian Collins Farris; one daughter, Mrs. Donald (Patricia) Nicholas, Granite City; three brothers, Harold Farris, Granite City, Virgil Farris, South Roxana, and Terry Dees, Cincinnati, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Loretta (Lillian) Farris, Hyde and Mrs. Betty Godsey, both of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Lucille Franks, South Roxana; his parents, Mrs. George (Lillian) Kempf, of Ohio, and Robert Farris, Summerset, Ky.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held today. Details are given in the obituary column.

Driver becomes ill, 2 parked cars damaged

Three vehicles sustained damage in an accident at 7:55 p.m. Monday when Mrs. Neva Y. Powderly, 1937 Rhodes St., Madison, became dizzy and lost control of her auto while driving north in the 1400 block of Iowa Street and struck a parked car.

Mrs. Powderly, 21, who was unconscious at the scene, was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was treated for pain in the left knee, had X-rays taken and was released.

The parked auto, owned by Neva L. Rukkin, 3100 E. 23rd St., was pushed against a car belonging to Joseph D. Woods, 4455 Highway 162, also parked nearby.

Burglar enters service station

A burglar broke an 18x30-inch window in an overhead garage door and removed the glass to gain entry into Ed's Canoe Service Station, 1501 Madison Ave., it was discovered Monday.

A patrolling officer checking the building noticed the broken window and called the owner.

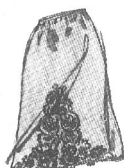
The intruder had used a file and tire tool to pry open a cigarette machine and remove the coin box, taking \$20.

A stand holding two gumball machines was moved into a storeroom and a hammer and pry bar were utilized to break open the containers and steal an unknown amount of coins. Desk drawers and a filing cabinet also had been searched by the burglar.

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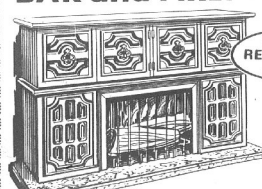
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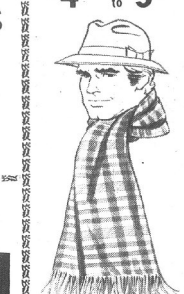
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CARPS Dept. Stores

Selecting toys for youngsters

William L. Kempiners, acting director of the Illinois Department of Public Health, has issued guidelines for Christmas shoppers to follow when selecting toys for small children.

He points out that while safe toys are more plentiful than ever, adults who purchase them must still exercise judgment regarding the possibility of hazard to a small child.

"Too often," Kempiners said, "adults choose toys that seem cute or clever to an adult, but may not be appropriate for small children."

He urged that, when selecting toys for small children, shoppers look for toys that have smooth, rounded edges, as children can easily be cut by sharp edges.

"Purchase dolls or stuffed animals that have eyes sewn on rather than attached with sharp prongs," Kempiners said. "Eyes attached with prongs are easy to remove and swallow."

He also advised shoppers to avoid buying stuffed animals that have sharp wires in the ears or tails, since the wires often poke through the fabric and can injure a child.

Other types of toys, he said, that should not be given to small children include:

—Dolls with sharp, pointed pins in their hair or clothing.

—Toys with small parts which are posed or easy to remove. Children can easily

swallow these small parts or insert them into ears or nostrils.

—Toys which contain darts, arrows or other missiles that can be thrown or shot at someone.

—Electrical toys, especially those which generate heat.

"Toys made of glass or brittle plastic.

"The ideal safe toy for a small child," said Kempiners, "is too large to swallow; has smooth, round edges; has no exposed pins, sharp wires or nails; has no detachable parts that can lodge in a child's windpipe, ear or nostril; and has no electrical component, especially one that generates heat."

Brownies tour Santa Land

Brownie Troops 592 and 454 from Logan School visited Santa Land at the Famous-Barr Department Store in downtown St. Louis. The girls and their leaders enjoyed lunch in the St. Louis Room.

Those attending were: from Troop 592, leaders Joy Bohnenstiel and Dorothy Richmond; Tammy Austin, Amy and Carrie Bohnenstiel, Paula Busler, Donna Cole, Angela Collins, Michelle and Dana Cottrell, Cathy Dix, Stacey Garnett, Jamie Hagan, Diana Holt, Dawn and Cassandra Meyers, Vicky Milton, Deanna Richmond, Kellie Rigby and Mrs. Jean Cottrell; from Troop 454, Kimberly Ingram, Samantha McManis, Stacey Britton, Tina Ramsey, Dawn and Kristie DeVrieze, Robyn Lupardus, Molly Williams, Kelli Gilbert, Carolyn Schildman, Alicia Woods, Christine Blackwell, Angela Shipp, Lisa Adams, Tabitha Mathews, Darla Smith, Leslie and Mary Sams, Debbie Traiche, Crystal Maloney, Mrs. Terry DeVrieze, Mrs. Janet Blackwell, Mrs. Kay Woods and daughter Crystal, Mrs. Nancy Britton and leader Mrs. Ginny Williams.

APARTMENT BURGLARY

David Williams, Apt. 6, 1511 Second St., Madison, discovered at 3 a.m. Saturday his apartment had been burglarized and ransacked. Items missing included tools valued at \$430, a television worth \$86, a citizen band radio valued at \$70 and 30 tapes worth \$150.

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NEW OFFICERS of the Protestant Welfare Association for 1980 are installed by the Rev. David Maxton, at right, during a meeting in the First United Presbyterian Church, 22nd Street and Delmar Avenue. From left to right are: Orville Ganz, president; E. A. Roberts, first vice-president; Roy Lynn, second vice-president; Minnie Dillard, secretary; and Kenneth Whittington, treasurer. George Hopkins, not shown, is the retiring president.

AT HELICOPTER BASE Marine Pvt. Marvin J. Huether Jr., son of Jessie B. Huether and Marvin J. Huether Sr. of 13 Parktowne Drive and 4860 Warnock Ave., respectively, has reported for duty at the Marine Corps Helicopter Air Station, Tustin, Calif. He joined the Marine Corps in July 1979.

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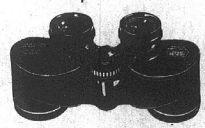
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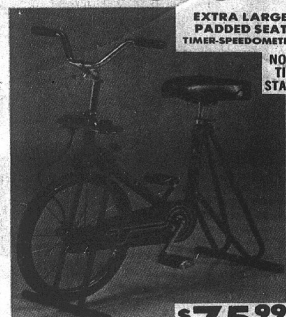
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10 TO 14 LB. AVG. LB. 89¢

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LABOR-MANAGEMENT TORCH CLUB report meeting. Granite City Steel union members along with United Way representatives pictured are (left to right, standing) A. F. King, United Way executive director; Gwen Fox; Ed Boyer, employee group chairman for 1979; Larry Miller, United Way AFL-CIO community service director; Bill Rains, John Evenden, United Way President Paul Costello, Dave Burris and Leo

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changes or other conditions which could preclude payment.

"All of these will allow for absolutely essential items — such as complete, independent CPA audits meeting national standards for all United Way agencies; strengthening of the community based United Way Community Service Access Centers; growth in currently funded Title XX programs.

"Also, proposed central allocation for capital items in 1980; and staff training opportunities directed a full implementation of the National Standards for Accounting and Financial Reporting by local private non-profit charitable agencies as adopted by the TCAUW board in 1978," Knecht added.

"Final budget reviews and allocations will be completed and agencies sub-

sequently notified of the board-approved amounts, from both undesignated and designated contributions, within a few years.

"To summarize, it's been a tremendous year. It's been a memorable year," Knecht said. "It's been a year of unusual commitment to our united effort."

"On behalf of the United Way campaign team, people from labor, management, professions and all walks of life, I want to say to all volunteers and givers simply that because of you, it really works in our community, the United Way."

Receipts are continuing to be accepted. The overall goal is \$750,000.

The big Torch Club gift is from Granite City Steel people, including Members of USWA Local 30, 67, 68, 16

and 4063; Bricklayers Local 65, South-west Illinois; International Hod Carriers, Building & Common Laborers Union of America, Local 179.

Also, International Chemical Workers Union Local 59; International Chemical Workers Union Local 764; International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers Lodge 483; and management and administrative staff.

The record local United Way contribution of \$215,000 through the Granite City Steel Labor-Management Torch Club was announced by Cal Bazenas, chairman, and Steelworkers Local 16 member Ed Boyer.

Boyer served as employee solicitation chairman this year.

Measles

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enacted a law withholding ten percent of financial aid from school systems that ignore the measles threat.

Measles can not only have serious consequences for the individual but also can cause retardation of infants, it was pointed out.

One GCIS North case currently is under laboratory study to verify whether the South cases proved. Two earlier GCIS South cases have been to other ailments.

Staff members will review medical and legal aspects of school-wide or district-wide immunization procedures

during the holidays and then submit a plan to the Board of Education for its consideration.

Among other provisions of HB 2301, signed into law Aug. 13, schools are required to identify students not in compliance with immunization requirements and to exclude them from school. Verification of effective immunization is simpler at present but highly complex regarding what was done years ago, it was related.

Those susceptible to measles include persons who have not had measles or live measles vaccine, or were im-

munized before 12 months of age.

Children who received live vaccine (R strains) along with immune serum globulin, regardless of age at the time of vaccination.

Persons previously vaccinated with killed measles vaccine.

Those vaccinated with live vaccine within three months after receiving killed measles vaccine.

Students immunized prior to 1968 who lack proof they received live measles vaccine.

The state's attention is centering on red measles (rubella). This is the kind known as 10-day measles.

It is highly contagious and in one of 1,000 cases causes brain damage or death.

Marion Kingston, 53, dies

Marion B. Kingston, 53, of 2242 Iowa St., was pronounced dead at his home at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday by Madison County Deputy Coroner Dick Mizell.

The police and deputy coroner were summoned to the residence by a nephew, Francis Hughes, with whom Mr. Kingston resided, when the latter failed to awaken. Mr. Kingston suffered from emphysema and had been in ill health for the past five years.

He was hospitalized for a period of time at the Veterans' Hospital at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and

had been released on Dec. 10. Mr. Kingston was a veteran of the Korean War. He was born in Kentucky and had lived in Granite City for 15 years.

Before retiring, he was employed as a guard by the Hudson Security Co.

He had never married. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Doris Avery of Calvert City, Ky.; and three nephews, Marion, Terry and Francis Hughes, all of Granite City.

Funeral information is given in today's obituary column.

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Driver threatened with gun

Three men in an old rusty Chevrolet harassed Mrs. Elizabeth Gaddy, 40, of Steelcrest subdivision and two small children in her car about 11 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday nights. She was driving on Pontoon Road when the older car began following her auto so closely she was afraid to stop for the stop signs on Pontoon Road at Johnson Road and at Franklin Avenue, for fear the auto would strike the rear of her car.

She turned off the road at the crosswalk near St. Elizabeth School and reported the older car stopped beside her car and three men in the car stared at her.

She asked them what they were attempting to prove and said she had small children in the car; one man then aimed the gun at her and threatened her.

She sped away and the older car went toward Pontoon Beach. It was described as a beaten 1965 to 1967 Chevrolet two-door car with a metallic color and numerous rust spots.

Obituaries

FARRIS, GERALD H., Granite City. Entered the rest 10:10 p.m. Monday, Dec. 17, 1979, at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis.

Beloved husband of Mrs. Lillie (Collins) Farris; dear father of Mrs. Patricia Nicholas; dear brother of Harold Farris, Virgil Farris, Terry Dees, Mrs. Loretta Hyde, Mrs. Betty Godsey and Mrs. Lucille Franks; dear son of Mrs. William Kemp and Robert Farris; dear grandfather. Funeral services 10 a.m. today, Dec. 20, at BOB THOMAS MEMORIAL MORTUARY Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, with the Rev. O. J. Cloninger officiating. Interment, Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

KINGSTON, MARION B., 2242 Iowa St. Entered into rest 8:15 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1979, at home.

Dear brother of Mrs. Doris Avery; dear uncle of Marion, Terry and Francis Hughes. Funeral arrangements pending at Dunn Funeral Home, Edgelyville, Ky., where his remains were taken today from MERCER MORTUARY, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., Granite City. Interment will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Kuttawa, Ky.

MAINER, JASPER F., "NUB," 233 Greiner Ave., Edwardsville. Entered into rest 8 a.m. Monday, Dec. 17, 1979, at St. Luke East Hospital, St. Louis.

Beloved husband of Mrs. Goldie (Lindsay) Mainer; dear father of Billy and Michael Mainer, Mrs. Mary Louise Moss and Mrs. Alice Schmidt; dear brother of Mrs. Hazel Hileman, Mrs. Maude Smith and Lloyd M. Stanley and Cloyd Mainer; dear grandfather and great-grandfather.

Services were held 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 19, at Assembly of God Church, Edwardsville, with the Rev. S. D. Schubert officiating. Interment Valley View Cemetery, Edwardsville.

LESLIE, M. A. R. K. S., FARRIS, HOME, 210 N. Kansas St., Edwardsville, was in charge of arrangements.

RHOADS, JOHN F., 1541 Market St., Madison. Entered into rest 11:05 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1979, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Beloved husband of the late Mrs. Pauline Rhoads; dear father of William "Dusty" Rhoads, Eldon and Charles Rhoads, Mrs. Mary Stawar, Mrs. Julia Voloski, Mrs. Pauline Burns, Mrs. Martha Strain and Miss Teresa Rhoads; dear grandfather, great-grandfather and father-in-law.

Services 11 a.m. Friday, Dec. 21, at LAHEY FUNERAL HOME Chapel, 501 Madison Ave., Madison, where friends may call after 2 p.m. today. Interment Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

SUTTON, CHARLES M., 1728 Second St., Madison. Entered into rest at 2:30 a.m. today, Dec. 20, 1979, at home.

Beloved husband of Mrs. Belva Sutton; dear father of Mrs. Nora Miller; dear brother of Mrs. Mary Dearing and Mrs. Ora Babb; dear grandfather. Funeral services 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 22, at RANDALL A. IRWIN CHAPEL FOR FUNERALS, 2801 Madison Ave., with the Rev. Charlotte Zachary officiating. Friends may call after 7 p.m. Friday. Interment Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

WAHRENBURG, MRS. JUDITH L., Forthlife State Park, Goretville, Ill. Entered into rest 2 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 18, 1979.

Beloved wife of Charles Wahrenburg; dear daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan (Elmer) Wright; dear sister of Mrs. Susan Hugenberger. Funeral services 1 p.m. Friday, Dec. 21, at St. James Evangelical Lutheran Church, Vandalia. Visitation from 6 to 9 tonight at HOHLT FUNERAL HOME, 204 N. Fourth St., Vandalia. Interment, Sunset Hill Cemetery, Vandalia. Family requests memorials to the Kidney Foundation.

WILSON, MRS. HELEN M. (Children), 2304 Winters Drive. Entered into rest Saturday, Dec. 15, 1979.

Dear mother of James E. Wilson, Donald L. Jenkins and Steven Wilson; dear grandmother and great-grandmother.

Memorial services were held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 18, at BOB THOMAS MEMORIAL MORTUARY Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road. Remains to Washington University for science.

ZIEGLER, MRS. HESTER (Prather), 1025 Third St., Venice. Entered into rest at 4 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1979, at home.

Beloved wife of Charles Ziegler; dear mother of Mrs. Mary Reid and Mrs. Nora Crow; dear grandmother and great-grandmother.

Services at 1 p.m. Friday, Dec. 21, at LAHEY FUNERAL HOME Chapel, 501 Madison Ave., Madison, where friends may call after 3 p.m. today. Interment Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

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Yule 'Safety Break' on I-270 at Hwy. 111

By VALERIE EVENDEN
of the Press-Record

The Free Spirits REACT Unit 78 will sponsor a Christmas weekend "Safety Break" on Interstate 270 at Highway 111.

Volunteers will be on duty in the parking area at Don's Shell Service for 76 consecutive hours, starting at noon Friday and continuing around-the-clock until 4 p.m. Monday, Dec. 24.

The safety break program is designed to encourage weary highway travelers to break their journey for a few minutes, stretch their legs and renew themselves with a

free cup of hot coffee and some cookies or doughnuts.

The monotonous task of driving many miles along the super highways often produces a "glazed eyes" effect and slower reaction. Such interruptions are strongly recommended by highway safety authorities.

In the event of bad weather, the latest information about road conditions ahead frequently is available to motorists from the volunteer REACT team.

Members of the locally based Free Spirits CB Radio Unit, who comprise the official REACT team, will be monitoring CB Channel 9 from a specially equipped van at the safety break site.

Channel 9 is utilized solely for emergency transmissions.

Such emergency messages will be taken by REACT Unit 78 monitors, manning the radios in the van, and will be relayed to the appropriate law enforcement agencies or emergency road service crews, it was explained.

Not only cross-country travelers are welcome at the safety break site, but area residents interested in seeing the program in action also are invited to stop for a cup of coffee, a team officer said.

REACT is the acronym for Radio Emergency Association Citizens Team.

Similar safety break sites may be found operating in Missouri and other states across the nation.

The Free Spirits CB'ers are now concluding the fourth year of their volunteer service to the traveling public.

Letters in the club files indicate that assistance given to many stranded drivers in past winter storms on snow and ice covered highways is remembered with gratitude by hundreds of travelers.

Christmas program at Gospel Mission

A Christmas program will highlight services Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the Gospel Mission, 2014 E. 20th St.

The Rev. John Pithers of First Assembly of God Church will give the meditation.

Special Christmas music will be provided by members of the Sunday school classes. To conclude the program, holiday treats will be distributed to all present.

according to Bethel J. Davis, mission superintendent.

The public is invited to join the congregation at Sunday night's service, Mrs. Davis said.

Ample parking may be found at the rear of the mission building.

Yuletide music also will be featured at tonight's service at 7, with the Rev. Ralph Limberg of the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church, serving as guest minister.

Luther Collier, 68, dies

Luther Collier, 68, of Madison, died of an apparent heart attack Friday, Dec. 14, in Fairmont City.

He was born in Kensett, Ark., and moved to St. Louis in 1930. In 1943, he moved to Madison.

Mr. Collier retired from the American Steel Foundries in 1974 after 32 years of service.

He was an active member of the Prince of Peace Baptist Church and the F. J. Brown Prince Hall Masons, St. Louis.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Cozetta Kindel Collier; a daughter, Mrs. Gladys McIntyre; a son, Leonard Collier of Madison; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Ester Morrow, and a brother, Ollie Ray Collier of St. Louis.

Visitation will be Friday afternoon at an East St. Louis funeral home.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, Dec. 22, at 12 noon at the Prince of Peace Baptist Church, 2741 Dayton, St. Louis. Burial will be at the Sunset Garden of Memory Cemetery, Centerville.

Canoe revival

In 1944, a new canoeing era began by chance when Grumman aircraft executive William J. Hoffman got the idea of an aluminum canoe. Such craft dominated the scene for more than a decade until in the 1950s fiberglass models took over.

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Burgener vice-president of industrial security group

William Burgener, of Granite City, has been elected regional vice-president of the American Society for Industrial Security, with national headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Burgener is chief of security for ACF Industries Inc., Amcar Division, St. Louis.

He will supervise the various chapters in Region Five, which includes the states of Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, and North and South Dakota.

His term of office runs through December 1980.

He will plan and chair regional training conferences, in addition to keeping the society president and board of directors informed on problems, surveys, reports and recommendations relative to the industrial security field.

Burgener is president of the 150-member St. Louis Chapter 39 of the American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS).

As a former police officer in Clermont County, Ohio, he was recipient of the Police Officer of the Year Award in 1975.

He is the former personnel and training manager for Interstate Securities Co., Kansas City, Mo.

He is a graduate of the Ohio State Police Instructors



WILLIAM BURGNER

course and is a certified police instructor, specializing in drug abuse prevention and liquor law enforcement.

Burgener was born and reared in Venice and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie (Barbara) Burgener of Venice.

He attended St. Mark's School and Central Catholic (Assumption) High School. He and his wife, Delois, have two sons, Gary, 15, and Bill, 21.

A U.S. Marine for 10 years, Burgener was a security guard in Rome and London for the U. S. State Department.

Lost workdays

During 1978 occupational injuries resulted in the loss of about 38.2 million workdays, the equivalent of a full year of work for about 153,000 employees. In 1977 35.2 million workdays were lost.

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1980 Cub Scouting golden anniversary

By MICK STRANGE
of the Press-Record

The year 1980 will mark the 50th anniversary of the Cub Scout program in the United States; the year 1980 will be the 70th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) and the 55th anniversary of the local Cahokia Mound Council.

The local scout council was officially chartered on Nov. 21, 1925.

Cahokia Mound Council President Ralph Korte, of Highland, will appoint a special "blue ribbon" committee for the promotion of 50th anniversary Cub Scout activities.

Fifty years of Cub Scouting will give scout leaders an extra opportunity to lead toward scouting objectives, Korte comments.

The purposes of the 50th anniversary observance are to promote Cub Scouting on a local and national basis; to involve all members of the "scouting family" in the celebration; to strengthen the ideals of Cub Scouting, and to rediscover the history and development of the Cub Scout program.

A plan will be developed to strengthen the ties and involve the Cub Scout and his family, and to promote the Cub Scout program so it is seen by the public and scouts alike as the beginning of the total scouting experience for boys—Cub Scouts, Boy

Scouts and Explorers.

According to local scout officials an attempt will be made to locate men who may have been in the experimental Cub Scout program prior to the 1930s, or in a pack in the 1930s.

A national and local drive to increase the number of boys in Cub Scouting will be held, according to William Monahan, council executive.

An active public relations effort and communication with the public will be maintained locally, in the United States and the 113 countries that have the scouting program.

A special blue and gold (Cub Scout colors) emblem has been developed and may be worn by all persons in the Cub Scout program who participate in the 50th anniversary celebration.

Information on the emblem is available at the Scout Service Center, 2016 Delmar Ave.

To be a Cub Scout a boy must be age 8, 9 or 10 or be in the third, fourth or fifth grades.

The Scout movement was founded in England by Sir Robert Baden-Powell in 1906. It was brought to the United States by W. D. Boyce, a Chicago newspaper publisher.

The BSA was incorporated in 1910 and granted a federal charter by the U.S. Congress in 1916.

6,200 visit GC schools

Open house attendance at Granite City schools this fall exceeded 6,200. Estimates of school visitors are as follows.

Emerson, 103; Frohardt, 450 to 500; Johnson, 200; Lake, 125.

Logan, 370; Marshall, 250; Maryville, 350; Mitchell, 1,085.

Niedringhaus, 600; Parkview, 225; Webster, 190; Wilson, 600; Coolidge, 400; Grigsby, 350; Prather, 190; North, 200; South, 600; and pre-school, 28.



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Three southwestern Illinois excavating firms have received purchase orders totaling \$145,332 from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.
Firms receiving the orders, for equipment and labor at archaeological sites in the Holton Lake area, include Levin Excavation, East Carondelet, \$77,333; Roland Kneipkamp Excavating, Belleville, \$49,333; and C. A. Sweitzer Trucking and Excavating, Collinsville, \$18,666.



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MADISON AMVETS POST 204 annual Christmas party was held during the weekend, with 30 children of Amvets attending. The youngsters, ranging in age up to nine, enjoyed games, cartoons, hot dogs and a visit from Santa. The party was given by the Amvets and Auxiliary.

**Smith Corp.
elects Dolan,**

Thomas I. Dolan, a 30-year veteran of the home appliance industry, has been elected a senior vice-president of A. O. Smith Corporation. L. B. Shillb, chairman and chief executive officer of A. O. Smith, announced Dolan's election following a meeting of the board of directors held during the weekend in Milwaukee.

Dolan, 52, has spent his entire business career at White Consolidated Industries, Inc., or its predecessor in Cleveland, where he is a senior group vice-president based at the company's corporate headquarters in Cleveland. Smith said Dolan will join the company Jan. 15 and will have responsibility for A. O. Smith's Consumer Products Division and A. O. Smith Harvestore Products, Inc. He will also be a member of the company's planning and operating committees.

The Consumer Products Division is one of the nation's largest producers of water heating equipment, including residential water heaters. Harvestore Products is the leading manufacturer of automated livestock feed processing and storage systems. Combined sales of the two units in 1978 amounted to \$218 million.

Dolan began his career in the appliance industry in 1949 when he joined Gibson Refrigerator (later acquired by White) as a cabinet engineer. He progressed through the engineering ranks, becoming vice president of engineering in 1964. In 1969, he was named by White Consolidated to be president of its Kelvinator subsidiary, and he moved to White's corporate headquarters in 1975 as a senior group vice-president.

In his latest position at White, he has been responsible for a portion of the company's appliance operations including the design, manufacture and marketing of refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, laundry equipment, gas and electric ranges and other home products.

Holiday activities at Hope Lutheran

The Hope Lutheran Church congregation enjoyed a day of activity Sunday with a visit from Santa to the Sunday school children in the afternoon. Later, the congregation assembled for a fellowship meal ending with singing of carols.

Midweek Advent vesper services ended last night. On Friday, Dec. 21, at 8 p.m., a number of youths will

meet to go Christmas caroling and to return to the Parish Hall afterward for fellowship and refreshments. Carolers will be the teens, the members of the 7th and 8th grade confirmation class, members of the children's choir, and their families.

The entire church will be decorated for services on Sunday, Dec. 23, at 8 and 10:30 a.m. The Sunday school will assemble at 2 p.m. that day for the last Christmas program rehearsal.

On Christmas Eve at 7 p.m., the traditional Christmas Eve vespers and Sunday school children's program will be held. The solemnities of the Feast of the Nativity will be begun, and treats will be given to all children.

The midnight candlelight Christmas communion will begin at 11:30 p.m. Monday and the Christmas Day communion will be at 9 a.m. Tuesday.

The regular schedule of services at 8 and 10:30 a.m., with Sunday school at 9 a.m. will be kept for the Sunday after Christmas, Dec. 30. The new year will be observed with a New Year's Eve communion at 7 p.m. Dec. 31.

The three church choirs will participate in services during the holiday — the Cherub Choir, the Children's Choir and the Adult Choir. "Visitors are always welcome and Lutherans new to the Tri-City area and who might be unaffiliated are encouraged to attend, to 'come back home' and to renew their church membership," the Rev. David Fielding, pastor of Hope Lutheran Church, 3715 Wabash Ave., said.

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DRAINAGE MEETING Monday afternoon, Siltation of Horseshoe Lake during periods of heavy runoff was discussed. Wilbert Engleke, chairman of the sewer and drainage committee of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, standing, discusses the reason for the meeting, which was attended by officials of the Department of Conservation, Department of Transportation, U.S. Corps of Engineers, Southwestern Illinois Metropolitan and Regional Planning Commission.



EXPLAINING PLANS for drainage improvements in the area, Al Wilmarth, engineering consultant with the Southwestern Illinois Metropolitan and Regional Planning Commission, traces the path of runoff water from the bluffs through various canals to the Cahokia Canal and, occasionally, into Horseshoe Lake. Wilmarth proposed improving the Cahokia Canal and adding and improving several ditches, including construction of a new ditch from the Dohrey Slough area south to Horseshoe Lake.

New village hall topic

The Pontoon Beach Village Board Tuesday night came one step closer to purchasing the first village-owned village hall and police building as the trustees agreed to have their attorney draw up a letter of intent to

purchase the Central Baptist Church building, 3910 Highway 111. The village's building committee members reported they had toured the church building with the pastor, the Rev. Wayne

Musatics, Saturday morning and had found no structural damage. They reported the building is in good shape and recommended it be purchased for a village hall. The church plans to construct a new church building adjacent to the present church in the future. Village Clerk Mary Warren was asked to send a letter of intent to members of the church board.

She also was asked to contact Village Attorney Robert P. Hennessey to draw up a contract for an option on the building. Village building committee members said they did not discuss an amount of earnest money the village should post to secure the option to buy the building, but the committee is to meet with Rev. Musatics and church officials in the near future to discuss the amount.

Mrs. Hester Ziegler dies

Mrs. Hester (Prather) Ziegler, 83, of 1025 Third St., Venice, died at her home at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

Madison County Deputy Coroner William Sternberg was summoned to the house and pronounced Mrs. Ziegler dead. She had been in ill health the last six weeks. Mrs. Ziegler had resided in the Quad-Cities for the past 27 years. She was born in St. Clair, Mo. Surviving are her husband, Charles Ziegler; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Reid of Litchfield, Ill., and Mrs. Maurine (Nora) Crow of Sarasota, Fla.; three grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Funeral arrangements are given in today's obituary column.

Metro-East Sanitary District and other groups. Clockwise from the left are Kenneth Evers, president of the Chamber; Jim Livingston, Chamber executive vice-president; Engleke; Robert Thornberry, site planner for the Department of Conservation; Charlie Marbut, with the fisheries division of the D.C.; William Nichols, committee member, and Laurel D. Berger and Dale Klohr of the DOT.

(Press-Record Photos by Gary Schneider)

Lake park

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Nichols said several local officials feel that when the Cahokia Canal cannot handle the amount of water coming into it, the excess water should be diverted onto a wildlife refuge area of the park, instead of into the lake. There, the silt would add another layer of dirt, rather than filling up the shallow lake.

Thornberry, disagreed, saying the D.C. has designated wildlife areas, which should be used for that purpose and not for water retention.

Robert Koepke, a professor at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, who has been studying the lake for many years, contended, "The lake has a tremendous

recreational potential, but using it at the same time for water storage is impossible."

Officials of the Illinois Department of Transportation, U. S. Corps of Engineers, Southwestern Illinois Metropolitan and Regional Planning Commission and other agencies reviewed long-range plans for drainage in this area, but conceded the plans were not likely to become reality in the near future.

However, Jackie Brimmer, a planner with SIMARPC, summarized on an optimistic note, "There is a great deal of cooperation between us, the Corps, the IDOT and IDOC and others. There is a lot being done."

City has new code

A new municipal code which incorporates all of the city's laws, ordinances and resolutions into a single volume was passed on first reading by the Granite City Council Tuesday night pending preparation of an addendum which will be added before the code is given final passage.

The code, which not only groups all existing laws into a single legal reference, also updates the laws to conform with modern day language and legal terms.

City Clerk Robert Stevens told the aldermen the city's new law book is about eight times as thick as the original code that was prepared in the early 1950s.

The code book has been in preparation for more than two years by the Book Publishing Co., Seattle, Wash. Cost thus far has been about \$5,000, Stevens said. The section placed on first reading Tuesday night was completed several months

ago so the book could be prepared. Laws and ordinances that have been adopted since then will be placed in the addendum to be added when the code is given final passage.

The council Tuesday night also granted a request by the Illinois Power Co. for permission to make four openings in 22nd Street and the alley between Lee Avenue and Monroe Street to install a new regulator station.

The resignation of Fire Capt. George Nenninger was accepted by the council

which voted on a motion by Alderman Glen Sprankle that Nenninger be presented with a plaque for his 24 years of service on the department.

Chile's wood exports

Chile's exports of lumber and other forestry products shot up 22 percent in 1978 to \$238.9 million. They are now the nation's second most valuable export, after copper.

Quad-City blood drive next week

By VALERIE EVENDEN of the Press-Record
How much time would you give, if it meant you could save a life? A week? A day? Ingrid Anderson, American Red Cross Blood Services consultant for the Missouri-Illinois Region, asks, "How about an hour?" "You can save a life in only one hour—by giving blood," she stressed.

Quad-Cityans are invited to "give and let someone live" on either Wednesday, Dec. 26, Thursday, Dec. 27 or Friday, December, 28.

Blood donations will be accepted at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, 2300 Pontoon Road, between the hours of 3 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. on Dec. 26 and 27, and from 10 a.m. until 2:45 p.m. Dec. 28.

The community appeal for blood is sponsored each year during the Christmas and New Year holidays by Church Women United of the Quad-Cities.

The three-day drive is open to anyone who can give an hour's time to save a life, Mrs. Anderson said.

"The actual blood donation takes only about seven minutes. This isn't very much time for a life saved," the consultant added.

The post-Christmas drive is important because of the traditional difficulty of collecting blood around the holidays, especially Christmas, she pointed out.

Bad weather, two holidays close together and the number of people traveling all "work together" to create a shortage of blood.

Then, in January, many people who have postponed elective surgery enter the hospital and the need for blood increases.

"That's why this three-day drive is so crucial," Mrs. Anderson emphasized.

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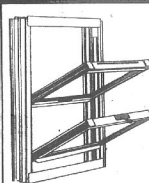
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CENTRAL HARDWARE

Alderman still not being paid

The Venice City Council at its meeting Tuesday evening again refused to pay First Ward Alderman Phillip Daniels money earned as a Venice fireman.

The council declined to pay Daniels a check for \$1,251 for fires answered this year.

It is the practice of the fire department to pay the firemen for calls answered at the end of the year, near Christmas.

Alderman Daniels asked Mayor Tyrone Echols if the fire and police aldermanic committees are going to make a recommendation on his service as a volunteer fireman and an alderman.

The committee has been asked to give an opinion on a councilman who is also serving as a fireman.

Mayor Echols said the committee would not give an opinion on the alderman-fireman situation since it has not been instructed to do so.

"As far as I am concerned this matter was settled by the council several months ago," Alderman Daniels said.

"I believe you said you were going to take the matter to a court and I agree. You have your opinion and we have ours and a third party, such as the court, I feel is needed to settle this," Echols said.

Alderman John Ervin is questioning whether Ronald Brawley, a probationary patrolman, can also serve as a voluntary fireman.

"We are not going anymore by past practice on anything; we are going by what the law says," the mayor commented.

"I would like a report from the fire and police committee on the fireman-policeman thing. It seems there may be no ordinance or other specified law covering this."

"If the court says Alderman Daniels is entitled to the money, then he certainly can have it," Mayor Echols said.

Alderman Daniels said he will take the matter to court. Past practice has seen other aldermen serve as volunteer firemen and receive pay for both roles for several years, according to Daniels. Neither position is full-time.

The council did agree to pay Daniels for fires he attended in early December 1978 prior to his appointment as an alderman.

Mayor Echols said that since there were no recommendations submitted to fill the two vacancies on the Venice Community Development Committee, as he had asked for, he will appoint two members at the next meeting.

A member of the committee said that members are needed, since at the last meeting only a couple of persons attended.



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A CLOSE CALL. William Hayes, 1550 St. Clair Ave., is breathing a sigh of relief after the city granted him a variance for his garage, which is within two feet of the side property line of his home. Hayes contended he was not told when he obtained a building permit for the structure last year that a

variance was required; lengthy legal action was necessary to resolve the issue. The city's board of appeals voted unanimously in favor of granting the variance and the city council voted 11 to two Tuesday night to approve the recommendation.

(Press-Record Photo)

Santa to visit Pontoon Friday

Santa Claus will visit Pontoon Beach Friday night and children are being asked to remain in their homes until they hear the fire and police sirens announcing Santa's arrival in their neighborhoods.

In the event of rain or inclement weather, Santa's visit will be postponed until the next meeting.

A member of the committee said that members are needed, since at the last meeting only a couple of persons attended.

Candy to aid Santa has been purchased by the village board and will be distributed during the tour of every village street.

Santa is expected to begin his tour of the village at dusk Friday. He will be accompanied by village police and units of the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department.

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GC snow routes

By HARRY BARNES

of the Press-Record

With the Quad-City area moving rapidly into mid-winter, Granite City's emergency snow route ordinance may become effective at any time snow and ice conditions require it.

Street Supt. Lionel Portell emphasized today as street department workers prepared for the "worst that is to come."

"We are hoping against hope that we don't have to enforce snow route conditions. But to get through the winter without some winter problems, which usually mean a lot of snow and ice, is not likely," Portell said.

Granite City's emergency snow ordinance lists major street sections to which regulatory measures apply

under certain snow and ice conditions, with provisions for arrests and fines for enforcement.

The ordinance was passed in December 1978 when Granite City was experiencing one of the worst winters in several years, and immediately following two severe winters in which snow and ice created almost impassable travel conditions in some locations.

Should heavy snow and ice strike the city, an emergency condition may be declared by the city coordinator, who is the city street superintendent, in cooperation with other officials.

Under Granite City's ordinance, a snow emergency exists whenever the city snow coordinator finds on the basis of weather

conditions or on the basis of forecasts that weather conditions will make it necessary that motor vehicle traffic be expedited, and that parking be prohibited or restricted for snow plowing and other purposes.

Also, a snow emergency automatically exists on any designated snow route on which there has been an accumulation of snow or ice of one inch or more in one hour.

The ordinance provides that during a snow emergency it is illegal to park motor vehicles on snow routes. It is also illegal for motor vehicles to become stalled on a snow emergency route because the drive wheels are not equipped with effective tire chains, snow tires or radial tires, or because the vehicle has exhausted its fuel supply or the battery has become inoperative.

When a snow emergency is declared, the coordinator may declare the emergency by public announcement, by radio, through the newspaper or by posting at City Hall.

Portell noted that if a vehicle becomes stalled on a snow emergency route, the motorist must have the vehicle towed or pushed immediately from the route onto the first cross street that is not an emergency route.

The ordinance provides that emergency routes are to be pre-designated and should be thoroughfares generally considered "main roads" in the city's street plan.

Streets designated as emergency snow routes in Granite City are:

Madison Avenue from 15th Street to Nameoki Road; Niedringhaus Avenue from Washington Avenue to Route 3 at the Depot gate; 20th Street from Route 162 to West 25th St.

Pontoon Road from Maryville Road to Rode Avenue; Johnson Road from Pontoon to Fehling and then Fehling, Benton and 27th to Adams, and Adams to Niedringhaus; State Street from 15th to 18th; 18th from State to Niedringhaus; St. Clair, Nameoki Road to Maryville Road.

Victory Drive from Nameoki Road to Maryville Road; Maryville Road from Pontoon to Terminal Avenue; 23rd Street, from Nameoki Road to Adams; 25th Street from Madison Avenue to Route 3, North Granite; 27th Street, Madison Avenue to Nameoki Road; and Clark Avenue from Johnson Road to Maryville Road.

Births

Births recorded at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

GIRLS
Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ellis, 3228 Harvard Place, Dec. 17, Shannon Renee, eight pounds, seven and one half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sheppard, 4256 Division St., Dec. 19, seven pounds, three ounces.

BOYS
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bledsoe, 1327 Rhodes St., Dec. 17, Joe Alan, five pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vaughn, 3304 Wilshire Drive, Dec. 19, Charles Dale Michael, seven pounds, 14½ ounces.

Charles Sutton dies today

Charles M. Sutton, 71, of 1738 Second St., Madison, died at his home at 2:30 a.m. today, following an illness of 18 months.

He was declared dead by Madison County Deputy Coroner Randall A. Irwin. Mr. Sutton worked as a long distance truck driver for 35 years prior to retiring in 1970. He was last employed by Trans American Freight Lines of St. Louis for 22 years.

He was a member of Teamster's Local 800 and the Retiree Club, both of St. Louis.

Mr. Sutton was born in Sorento, Ill. He had resided in the Quad-City area the past 44 years.

He was of the Methodist faith.

Among the survivors are his wife, Mrs. Marie Sutton; one daughter, Mrs. Nora Miller of East St. Louis; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Dearing of Madison and Mrs. Ora Babb of Hammond, Ind.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are given in today's obituary column.

Still time to mail Christmas cards

It's still not too late for local cards and letters to be delivered by Christmas if mailed right now, postmasters of Madison, Venice and Granite City said today.

"Most people already have done their Christmas mailing," they said.

"However, those who haven't should do so immediately."

"Our goal is to have all

mail available in the post office up to the normal cutoff time on Monday, Dec. 24, distributed and delivered that day."

To help speed mail, the postmasters urged all to provide accurate and legible addresses, including zip code. "Be sure to apply correct postage, and mail early in the day," they said.

Mrs. Wahrenburg, 31, dies in crash

Mrs. Judith I. Wahrenburg, 31, of Ferncliff State Park, Goreville, Ill., was fatally injured in an auto accident Tuesday and was pronounced dead upon arrival at a Marion, Ill., hospital at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

It is believed she was alone in the car.

Mrs. Wahrenburg and her husband, Charles, a former Granite City resident, both

worked for the Conservation Department, State of Illinois.

She was born in Anaheim, Calif.

Other survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan (Ethel) Wright, Vandalia, and a sister, Mrs. Roy (Susan) Hungenberger, Lombard, N. H.

Funeral arrangements are given in the obituary column.

Calvary Baptist Christmas play

A play entitled, "And They Knew Him Not," will be presented at the annual Christmas program of Calvary Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 23, according to the pastor.

The entire Sunday School department will take part in the performance which follows the Biblical account from before the birth of

Christ through the resurrection, the pastor noted.

Following the presentation treats will be given to the children in the fellowship hall at the church.

The minister extends an invitation to area residents to attend the play at the church located at 3000 Washington Ave.

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Tax cut

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replacement taxes should be used in determining levies and cash flow. Since that time, we have not received any additional information; therefore, I assume that by using their guidelines, we will be using the most pertinent information available.

"Our 1978 assessed valuation was \$247,209,556 and tax levies of \$9,344,521 were extended. Included in the above valuation was \$75,640,615 of corporate personal property, which provided \$2,859,215 in tax extensions."

Following the guidelines furnished by the Department of Local Government Affairs for determining and setting tax levies, it is necessary to reduce our assessed valuation by the amount of corporate personal property valuations. When this is completed, our valuation is reduced from \$247,209,556 to \$171,569,941."

Heubner continued, "The tax levies recommended this year take into consideration the loss of assessed valuation from the personal property, and also the replacement revenue that will be provided by the replacement tax."

"The good news for the patrons of our school district is an estimated decrease in school taxes of approximately 40 to 43 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation."

"This would be the personal property assessed at \$10,000, the taxes extended for the School District should drop \$40 or \$43 from last year's school taxes. The primary factor for this tax reduction is

retirement of our bonded indebtedness. "This year, we made our last payment on the money borrowed to construct our school buildings."

"In addition, we are recommending a substantial decrease in our retirement levy. This reduction is made possible by the projected cash balance we will have at the end of this year, as well as the early distribution of the replacement taxes."

"We are recommending a levy for Tort Immunity for the first time. This money is used in the Education Fund to defray the expenses of unemployment, workmen's compensation, and liability insurance. The combined levies recommended for IMRF and the Tort Immunity are \$250,000 less than the levy extended in 1978 for IMRF (Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund)."

"In order to insure that our maximum tax rates for the Education Fund; Operations, Building and Maintenance Fund; and Transportation Fund will be extended, we are recommending that the levies be based on an estimated assessed valuation of \$197,304,282, which is a 15 percent increase over the 1978 real property valuations."

"If the valuation is more than projected, the estimated tax rates will determine whether an increase might be possible in the engineering estimate because of inflation. Any increase in the original estimate could mean a reduction in the difference between projected and actual valuations. A reduction which is needed in order for the state to rule that the cost outlook justifies proceeding."

maximum tax rates applied to the actual assessed valuation.

"Since we are recommending the levies of the maximum rate for the Education Fund; Operations, Building and Maintenance Fund; Transportation Fund; Working Cash Fund and Life Safety Fund, these rates cannot be increased, but could possibly be decreased."

"There could also be a possible loss of revenues in these funds if the actual valuation is less than projected. The rates for the IMRF and the Tort Immunity could either increase or decrease, depending on the actual assessed valuation for 1979."

"The estimated 1979-80 Granite City school tax rate is \$3.3476, compared to \$3.772 estimated and \$3.78 actual a year ago," Heubner concluded.

The Board of Education on Tuesday night adopted a working cash levy of \$98,000, a \$255,510 tax levy to alter or reconstruct schools to comply with health and safety building specifications, \$236,000 for transportation, \$5 million for education, \$740,000 for the building fund, \$200,000 for municipal retirement, and \$200,000 for liability insurance.

Estimated revenue is \$9,431,215, up \$86,693. The likely total tax extensions of \$6,592,000 are down \$2,772,331 from the previous year, and the corporate personal property replacement tax is expected to provide \$2,859,215.

Lights drive gift distribution

By VALERIE EVENEDEN

of the Press-Record
Christmas is only five days away and the Salvation Army's Tree of Lights still needs \$9,500 to attain its 1979 goal.

Earl Dotzauer, chairman of this year's Christmas appeal, today announced the drive starts at \$20,500.

Starting Friday morning at 9 and continuing all day Saturday, the Salvation Army headquarters on East 23rd Street will be a busy place. Families and individuals who are eligible for yuletide assistance will be collecting their baskets during the two days, Captain Elmer Trapp advised.

A total of 528 baskets will be distributed this week, a slight increase over 1978.

Those applying for aid this year were required to show proof of income and positive identification.

The revised procedure enabled all Edwardsville and all State of Illinois offices. Although many firms and offices will be open Monday, several offices are planning to close early on Christmas Eve.

It has been suggested by many that persons with business or shopping to do on Monday do so during the morning hours.

The Granite City Press-Record will publish on Monday and again on

those applying for help to be quickly certified as eligible, Darla Staggs, who was in charge of applications, said Wednesday.

After picking up their baskets of groceries, parents will be escorted to the Salvation Army Toy Shop, where a gift may be selected for youngsters.

Gift certificates also will be presented the families receiving holiday assistance, to be redeemed for chickens at the Kroger store.

Baskets will be distributed Friday to applicants from Granite City.

Distribution Saturday will be made to those eligible from the Venice, Madison and Collinsville areas.

Persons whose last name begins with the letters "A" through "M" may collect their baskets between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., and those whose names start with "N" through "Z" are to go to the center from 1 p.m. until 5 p.m.

The pickup schedule will be followed on both days, Miss Staggs said.

"All too soon, Christmas of 1979 will be just a happy memory to most of us," Capt. Trapp said Wednesday.

"But what about those for whom Christmas of '79 will mean a year of doing without—without toys for the children, without a nice dinner for the family, without someone saying, 'We care about you'?"

"You can make their memories pleasant by sharing of your abundance. Remember that \$25 will dedicate a light on the Tree of Lights and let someone know you care," the officer said.

Donations may be mailed to The Salvation Army Tree of Lights, Box 338, Granite City, Ill. 62040, or to Earl Dotzauer, Tree of Lights Chairman, c/o First National Bank, P.O. Box Y, Granite City, Ill. 62040.

Holiday

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Thursday, Dec. 27, in accord with the regular publication schedule.

Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will be closed from Saturday until Wednesday, Jan. 2.

Venice, Madison and Granite City public schools will be dismissed at the regular time Friday, with students returning to school Wednesday, Jan. 2.

St. Elizabeth, St. Mary-St. Mark, Sacred Heart-St. Joseph and St. Margaret Mary parochial schools have

announced plans to operate only a half-day tomorrow and these schools will not have lunch periods that day. The parochial schools will resume on Jan. 2.

Gateway Christian Academy will begin the Christmas holiday vacation after regular school hours on Friday. Lakeview Christian Academy began its Christmas vacation on Tuesday.

Both academies will reopen on a regular class schedule on Wednesday, Jan. 2.

Overpass bonds

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the only construction offer received and which was 19 percent in excess of the engineer's estimate.

The second bid will be asked on the basis of the original two-lane overpass specifications, although it had been proposed earlier to review the specifications with a view toward eliminating a sidewalk on the bridge; the mayor said Tuesday night such a walk would be a necessity.

When the overpass initially was

discussed, it was hoped to make it a four-lane structure.

Design plans will be reviewed to determine whether an increase might be possible in the engineering estimate because of inflation. Any increase in the original estimate could mean a reduction in the difference between projected and actual valuations. A reduction which is needed in order for the state to rule that the cost outlook justifies proceeding.

Available funds are listed as including \$1.3 million to \$1.7 million from Granite City Steel, \$1,711,045 from the Illinois Commerce Commission grade crossing protection fund, \$1.4 million from a Federal Aid to Urban Systems grant, \$600,000 in federal Community Development funds, \$137,155 from railroads whose tracks will be spanned by the overpass, and the projected \$1 million from general obligation (real estate property) taxes.

Families changing

Less than one-third of the nation's households, the lowest percentage ever, now consist of the traditional family of mother, father and one or more children.

Santa

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The event will be held at City Hall, 2000 Edison Ave., from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. tomorrow.

Special emphasis is being placed on the family unit and there will be a variety of activities for all ages, plus refreshments. And, of course, Santa will visit.

At 9 a.m. Saturday children living in Chouteau Township will have breakfast with Santa at the township hall.

The Chouteau Town Board and the township's community development

committee will provide doughnuts, milk and treats for the children, as well as entertainment.

Santa Claus will also be in the downtown business district of Madison on Sunday from noon until 5 p.m.

Children may visit Santa at his cabin, located at 10th Street and Delmar Avenue. Santa is at his cabin from 4 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. each weekday.

Santa will also be in his cabin from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Saturday and from noon until 5 p.m. on Sunday.

Christmas youth 'swim and gym'

The Tri-City Area YMCA will have a holiday youth "swim and gym" on Monday, Dec. 24, and Wednesday through Friday, Dec. 26-28, for youngsters of junior high school age and under.

For the price of a one-day pass, these youngsters can participate in organized games in the gymnasium from 10 to 11 a.m., swim in the pool from 11 to 11:45

a.m., and enjoy a variety of activities in the arcade from 12 noon to 1 p.m.

The fee for a day pass is \$1 for non-members, and no charge for "Y" members.

The swimming pool will also be open from 4 to 5 p.m. on these days for people of all ages. For more information, Howard Bryant can be contacted at the "Y," 876-7200.

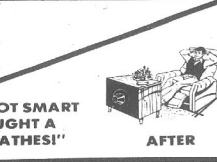
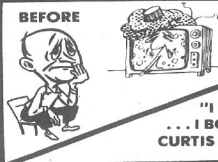
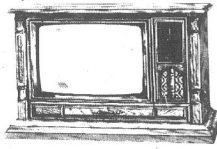
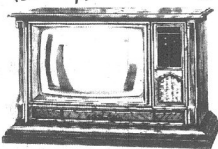
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Concert by elementary chorus

The Granite City Elementary Chorus presented its Christmas Concert on Monday night at Marshall School.

The chorus, which is comprised of fourth, fifth and sixth grade students in the Granite City School District, sang:

O Come Emmanuel; Our Brother Is Born - Horman; Sing We Noel - Rogers; The First Noel - arranged by Kirk; Go Forth and Hail - arranged by Roff; Christmas Bell Canon - Dare; We'll Dress the House - Burt; Ding, Dong! - a French melody; Carolin, Carolin - Burt; and Christmas Alphabet - Loman.

Kenny Beljanski sang the solo, White Christmas - Berlin, and Some Children See Him was sung by Paula Earls, Darla Rice, Tracy Rodgers, Jerri Weakley, Kathy Weakley and Denise Worthen.

The 124 members of the chorus are:

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Alan Hoffman, Katie Jacobs, Julia Johannpeter, Lisa Jones, Missy Jones, Carmen Joyce, Robin Keel, Kim Kessler, Lea Ann Kinney, Jill Kinder, Shelley Kinsey, Harold Kite, Wanda Kite, Missy Kozyak, Dawn Lamb.

David Lane, Christy McDaniel, Becky McEntyre, Connie McEntyre, Sheryl McGarity, Kelly McMillan, Jennifer McNeilly, Nicole MacLaughlin, Laura Melton, Jennifer Mitchell, Michelle Mize, Jack Moat, David Monphard, Kelle Moore, Scott Moore.

Veronica Morris, Susan Murphy, Christine Nash, Kathy Nick, Diane Oliver, Angie O'Sha, Danny Pabst, David Painter, Caterina

Penn, Tracy Perkins, Kimberly Reeves, Darla Rice, Jeanine Robles, Traci Rodgers, Kelley Rogers, Kelly Roseman, Teri Rowden, Nicole Rush.

Neda Sanders, Kim Sannes, Melissa Segedy, David Simmons, Annamarie Skinner, Todd Smaile, Beth Smith, Brian Smith, Eric Smith, Kristina Smith, Monica Smith, Mike Stadler, Vicki Staggs, Laura Sullivan, Cheryl Swift,

Michelle Sylvester, Amy Thompson, Kristy Toussaint, Dawn Travis, Gail Varady.

Marc Varady, Michelle Verno, Beverly Wallace, Rochelle Wallace, Sarah Wallner, Michele Ward, Jerri Weakley, Kathy Weakley, Laura Wedel, Rachel Wolford and Denise Worthen.

The chorus is under the direction of Mrs. Pat Michaeloff and Mrs. Julia Oyen.

Award of contracts for renovation of the University Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville was announced by the Executive Committee of the SIU Board of Trustees on Thursday.

Total construction cost is \$883,747 for the project, which will provide additional office space for student organizations, additional meeting room space, additional multi-purpose areas, expansion of space available to the student newspaper, an additional art gallery, and consolidation of University Center administrative and business office functions.

A major part of the renovation plan involves space formerly occupied by the School of Business on the second floor of the University Center.

The contracts awarded are: Fewell Construction, Hartford, general work, \$559,512; Rite Electric Co., Granite City, electrical work, \$78,619; Westerheide Sheet Metal,

'CHRISTMAS CAROL' AT MHS TONIGHT

Theater returns to Madison High School at 7:30 tonight with the production of "A Christmas Carol." The traditional Christmas favorite is being produced by the junior humanities class under the direction of Ronald Crader.

Admission is \$1 for students and \$1.50 for adults.

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See no severe fuel shortage this winter

This metropolitan area probably will be spared critical shortages of fuel this winter, providing that consumers practice good conservation and avoid hoarding, James M. O'Flynn, president of the Regional Commerce and Growth Association, said Friday.

He based his opinion on information developed by the RCGA Energy Task Force, made up of representatives of wholesalers, retailers and consumers of fuel. Former St. Louis Mayor John H. Poelker is chairman of the task force.

"What we have heard at meetings of the task force has indicated there should be no severe problems here," O'Flynn said. "Fuel supplies will be adequate if area citizens avoid stockpiling."

O'Flynn said conservation measures should be taken. He advised homeowners and renters to utilize "home weatherization" programs, particularly if their homes are heated by oil.

Weatherization is advisable to reduce electricity and natural gas usage, too, because of increasing costs, he added.

"All users of motor vehicles, whether personal, industrial or commercial, should resolve to eliminate unnecessary driving, use car and van pools, or ride the bus, and keep vehicles properly maintained."

There is a consensus among task force members, he said, that if cases of panic buying or inconsiderate "topping-out" practices develop, regulations regarding the amount of gasoline purchased at one time should be enforced.

"It would be helpful if all avoid any possible over-reaction to spot shortages," O'Flynn said.

"Barring a disastrous oil shortage caused by international developments, we can escape fuel shortages this winter as long as we maintain a reasonable and responsible attitude toward purchase and consumption."

Jasper 'Nub' Mainer dies

Jasper F. "Nub" Mainer, 78, of 235 Greiner Ave., Edwardsville, died at 9 a.m. Monday at St. Luke East Hospital, St. Louis.

He had been in ill health about a year and was hospitalized six days.

Prior to retiring in 1972, Mr. Mainer had owned and operated Mainer's Barber Shop in Edwardsville for 30 years.

He was a member of Edwardsville Moose Lodge 1561 and Barbers' Local 605 of Edwardsville.

Mr. Mainer was born in McClure, Ill. He had resided in the Edwardsville area for the past 35 years.

He and his wife, the former Goldie Lindsey, who survives, were married March 14, 1926.

Besides his wife, Mr. Mainer leaves two sons, Billy and Michael Mainer, both of Edwardsville; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur (Mary Louise) Moss of Centralia and Mrs. Clifford (Alice) Schmidt of Edwardsville; three brothers, Lloyd Mainer of McClure, Stanley Mainer of St. Charles, Mo., and Cloyd Mainer of Cape Girardeau, Mo.; two sisters, Mrs. Hazel Hileman of Anna, Ill., and Mrs. Paul (Maude) Smith of McClure; 15 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday. Details are given in today's obituary column.

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Thorngate Garden Club dinner

Garlands of pine, red ornaments and gold candles holding white tapers decorated the tables for the annual Christmas party of Thorngate Garden Club.

The festive event took place last week at The Barrel Restaurant on 19th Street.

A long table, covered with a white cloth, held three centerpieces created of red candles and fresh greenery. The decorative arrangements were awarded as gifts to Mrs. Pat Polley.

Mrs. Clara Schillinger and Mrs. Helen Polley. Favors for each member and guest were shiny red apple ornaments, tied with red and white lace and ribbons.

Miss Jean Bethel, a retired French teacher, gave two readings, "A December Day" by Sara Teasdale and "Winter" by James Hurand.

Christmas carols were played on a music box during the meal by Miss June Markham and later were sung by the group under the direction of Mrs. Wanda

Kincaid. Mrs. Kincaid and Mrs. Lillian Delpe were co-chairmen for the party.

Yuletide presents were exchanged.

Mrs. June Lux, president, welcomed the guests, including Mrs. Charlotte Moore, Miss Helen Scarritt, Mrs. Jane White and Mrs. Pauline Baker.

Other members attending were Mrs. Beulah Miller, Mrs. Enid Bolen and Mrs. Betty King.

Mrs. Clara Schillinger will serve as hostess in January.

Jr. Service enrolls two

Linda Badger and Joyce Curran were enrolled as members of the Granite City Junior Service Club at its annual Christmas dinner party held at Christ's Restaurant in St. Louis, Monday evening.

President Gale McFarland gave the welcoming address and conducted the induction ceremony for the new membership candidates. They both were presented with a rose.

Gifts of appreciation were given to Mrs. Bette Jo Kozar and Mrs. Jean Ann Vrenick, club sponsors.

Hostesses for the event were Mesdames JoEllie Harris, Sara Repp and Gail Midkiff.

After dinner games were played and blooming poinsettias were given as prizes to Wilma Edgington, Sue Riess, Sara Repp and Joan Wachter.

Others attending were Flora Mae Lanning, Brenda Weckman, Betty Nighossian, Beverly King, Jamie Staats, Pam Reed, Donna Polivich, Karen Niebur, and guests Thelma Judy, Shirley Blasingame and Paula Weaver.

Former GC residents to mark 40th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McIntyre, Rural Route Two, Coulterville, Ill., formerly of Granite City, will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, Dec. 26.

Rick McQueens name son Todd

Mr. and Mrs. Rick McQueen, 2309 Dwight Drive, became the parents of a son, born Dec. 17 at Oliver C. Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant has been named Todd Richard. He weighed seven pounds, three ounces.

The couple also has a son, Billy, age 9.

Mrs. McQueen is the former Diane Gilmore, a daughter of Harry Gilmore of Granite City and the late Mrs. Virginia Gilmore.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. McQueen of Cahokia.

Mrs. Mary Calico of Washington Park is the paternal great-grandmother and Mrs. Bonnie Pruett of East Alton is the infant's maternal great-grandmother.

An open house reception will be held from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Faith Christian School, Sparta, Ill. The couple requests no gifts be sent, according to a family spokesman.

Mrs. McIntyre was a former teacher at Logan and Frohadt Schools.

They are the parents of two children, John McIntyre of Arvada, Colo., and Miss Martha McIntyre of Muncatine, Iowa.

Couple announces birth of child

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thompson Jr., 2722 Center St., are announcing the birth of their first child, a boy, on Dec. 3, at Oliver C. Anderson Hospital, Maryville.

The new arrival has been named Adam Preston and he weighed eight pounds, one ounce.

Mrs. Thompson is the former Karen Peach, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peach of Granite City. The paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thompson Sr., also reside here.



MR. AND MRS. ANDREW GASPAROVIC JR. They were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception held at St. Engelbert Hall in Madison following the renewal of the wedding vows at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Golden anniversary of Mr., Mrs. Gasparovic

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gasparovic Jr., 2150 Edison Ave., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Friday, Nov. 23, with renewal of their vows at mass at St. Joseph Church, celebrated by Father Francis Corrigan. He will be remembered as assistant pastor of St. Joseph's in the mid 1930s, and a longtime friend of the couple.

Of the original bridal group, the following were in attendance: Emily (Gasparovic) Nebeker, Rose (Gasparovic) Wiesler, Ann (Pogorel) Spiller, Cecilia (Gasparovic) Dochnal, Walter Gasparovic, William Gasparovic and Stephen Kurilla.

Mrs. Gasparovic wore a floor-length gown of gold crepe, with gold and brown silk matching jacket. She carried a corsage of yellow silk roses attached to her purse. Songs for the mass were sung by Dr. Richard Judd, son-in-law, and Mrs. Anita Anton, daughter of the couple. Their sons, Andrew III and Alan read the Epistles.

Also present were the children of the couple: Aileen (Smith), Andrew III, Audrey, Andrea (Judd),

Alan, Annette (Forrest), Angela (Shilt), Anita (Anton), and Alissa (Boislet); eighteen of their grandchildren and their two great-grandchildren, Tina and Thomas Green of Colorado.

Following the mass guests were received at a reception and buffet at Engelbert Hall in Madison. Gold garland and plumes adorned the tables and throughout as well as numerous floral arrangements received by the honored couple.

A five tier anniversary cake, illuminated with a fountain, was served to the guests which included 150 from out of town.

Mr. Gasparovic who served Granite City as police magistrate for 16 consecutive years (1949-1965), is presently employed by the State of Illinois in the Office of State Fire Marshal as a supervisor of Fire & Safety Inspectors.

A letter of congratulations was received from President Jimmy Carter along with telegrams and messages from numerous relatives and friends from out of town.

Christmas recital by music, voice students

Christmas decorations set the mood at National School of Music, 2100 Cleveland Blvd. for a recital at which Christmas songs and carols were performed before an audience of relatives and friends during the weekend.

The recital opened with an adult chorus singing, "Do You Hear What I Hear?"

Participating vocalists were Helen Gieselman, Evelyn Hotson, Linda Sarich, Kathi Smith, Pat Strause, Robin Thompson and Phyllis Warford.

Students displayed their talents on organ, piano, guitar, banjo, bass guitar, drums and voice.

They were Martha Choma, Connie Baugh, Lala Anselmo, Cheryl Lenzi, Eddie Robertson, Dallas Stubbfield, Mary Causey, Richard Repp, Jenny Smith, Laura Riggs, Martin Coopwood, John Crowder, Michelle Vernoy, Michelle Kondrich, Tamara Hoffman, Ed Hartman, Michelle Stuart, Mike Voss, David Malott, Tom Hilliges, Chris Sindle, Michelle Manlove, Linda Nichols and Robin Thompson.

The second night's performing students were Carla Reynolds, Kathy Charter, Grace Reynolds, Andy Reynolds, Barry Reynolds, Diane Kaltmeyer, Jason Greco, Brent Browhow, Joe Stavelly, Joe Mangiaricino, Tammy Kemp, Michelle Poyner, Cari McCallister, Rich and Louis Vernoy, Lisa Balogh, Brad Browhow, Kim Stavelly, Jennifer Stone, Melissa Murray, Gina Mangiaricino, Chris Stone, Jeff Hecht, Matt Russell.

Christmas eve communion set

Burning tapers will illuminate the sanctuary of Trinity United Methodist Church, East 23th and Henry streets for the Christmas eve communion service at 9 p.m. Monday, it was announced by the pastor, the Rev. Paul D. Bryant.

Favorite carols will be part of the family service and the advent wreath will be lit by the John Williams family.

Special music and the pastor's sermon will celebrate the Holy night of the nativity of the Lord, Rev. Bryant added.

Another event planned by the church members is a Christmas caroling trek to the home of sick and shut-in of the church. Those wishing to participate in the project are to meet at the church at 5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 23. After the singing trip the carolers will return to the church for refreshments and hot chocolate, the minister noted.

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Chouteau yule breakfast set for Saturday

Children residing in Chouteau Township are being reminded that the township's annual Yule Breakfast with Santa will be Saturday from 9 to 11 a.m. at the township hall, behind the Midwest Motel.

Arrangements for the event were completed during Monday night's Chouteau Town Board of Trustees meeting. Extra candy to help Santa has been received by the township and children will receive free treats, refreshments and entertainment.

Due to the number of children anticipated, it is impossible to distribute Christmas gifts, but treats will include candy for each child, the board noted.

The program is designed primarily for elementary school children, and parents are being encouraged to remain with the children at the event.

Christmas at M-V Rotary

Children from the Blair Elementary School, under the direction of Mrs. Valerie Stevens, presented their annual Christmas program at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Madison-Venice Rotary Club.

The children sang numerous Christmas songs for the Rotarians.

"Light the Candles," a traditional Hanukkah song, was dedicated to the Rotarians who are members of the Jewish faith.

Clients, parents, staff and directors of OATH Inc. (Organization for the Advancement of the Handicapped) were guests of the club.

Mrs. Stevens, music director for the Madison schools, who also plays the piano at M-V Rotary meetings, was presented a gift of appreciation from the club.

Santa Claus visited the meeting and gave large peppermint candy canes to all the children.

A turkey dinner, with all the traditional side dishes, was served by Voloski Catering assisted by members of the Madison Senior Citizens club.

Daniel Stanton undergoes surgery

Daniel Stanton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanton, 2040 Washington Ave., is recovering from surgery at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis.

He had been injured while playing football at Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau, Mo., and underwent major surgery last week at the St. Louis hospital.

Stanton is a 1977 graduate of Granite City High School South. He is expected to be released from the hospital at the end of this week, according to his mother.

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Granite 650 hosts Christmas meeting

Granite Chapter 650, Order of the Eastern Star, held a business meeting, honored birthday members and hosted a Christmas party following the business segment, during the weekend at the Masonic Temple.

Presiding over the session were Worthy Matron Dona Boyer and Worthy Patron John Boyer.

Grand lecturers present were Betty McClintock, Hazel Wood, Arlene Fox and Mary Bilbrey.

Board members, grand chapter committee members and past matrons and past patrons were introduced.

Donna Kagy, junior past matron and Joe Bilbrey, junior past patron were escorted to the east, presented a flower and gift from the chapter and a personal gift from the worthy matron. She then read an appropriate poem to them.

Installing officer, Dorothy Watkins and installing marshal, Hazel Wood then installed Electa, Judy Stags.

Protem officers for the evening were thanked by the worthy matron. They were Isabelle Dieckmann as Adah, Betty Ebreht as Esther, Wanda Bartling as

Electa, Blanche Lane as Warder.

Mary French asked that all ads and names be turned in by the end of the month on the birthday calendar project.

Congratulations were extended to Mrs. Boyer and also to Rachel Larsen, Arlene Fox, on their birthdays.

Worthy matron appointed all committees for the coming year, and gave the proposed calendar for the year.

Worthy patron complimented the new officers and congratulated the new Electa, Judy Stags.

It was announced the next meeting will be a New Year's Eve party on Friday, Dec. 28, at 7:30 p.m.

A Christmas party was held in the dining room. Crocheted Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck dolls were used as centerpieces on the tables along with Christmas decorations. Each member received a filled Christmas stocking.

Santa Claus then arrived to pass out gifts for the gift exchange.

Committees for the evening were John Boyer, Betty McClintock, Bonnie and Jerry Fisher, Louise Orr, Mary Hoover, Betty Girtz and Donna Kagy.



MISS JODY FIXMAN fiancée of Craig Louis Maer. Their engagement was announced at a dinner party held at the Meadowbrook Country Club, St. Louis County. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fixman, Ladue, Mo. A February wedding is planned by the engaged couple.

Jody Fixman is engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fixman of Ladue, Mo., announced the engagement of their daughter, Jody Ellen to Craig Louis Maer, son of Dr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Maer, Creve Coeur, Mo., at a dinner party at the Meadowbrook Country Club, St. Louis County.

Miss Fixman, a graduate of Kansas University, is now studying for a master's degree in Family Counseling at the University of Missouri in St. Louis. Miss Fixman also attended the Sorbonne in Paris, France.

The groom-elect, a native of Granite City, graduated from Eastern Illinois University and is a sales representative for the All State Insurance Co., St. Louis.

Out of town guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Maer, Fairfax, Va., Steven Maer, Nashville, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Barney Doane, Nashville, Tenn., and Mrs. Jack Serber, Bethesda, Md. and Mrs. Robert Serber, Denver, Col. Myrna Lehr, Los Angeles, Cal., Judy Fiegenbaum, Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Shig Katayama and daughters, Nancy and Tracy of Tokyo, Japan.

The bride to be is the granddaughter of Mrs. Abe Schneider formerly of East St. Louis, and her fiancé is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steinberg, former Granite City residents.

The engaged couple and their families are planning a February wedding.

Marriage licenses issued

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Miss Evelyn Bowles, county clerk, Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents.

Steven Michael Giebe and Janet Kaye Wiggins; Charles Roy Moxey and Sandra Louise Vaughn; Robert J. Fichte and Lauran B. Wachter; Donald G. Higley and Tracie A. Mandl; James D. Schardan

and Sharon L. Webb; Nicholas S. Tervasi and Ella M. Worley, all of Granite City.

Leslie Wayne Whitecotton and Geraldine Lee Reed; Robert Glenn Bush and Tammy Genean McCoy, all of Madison.

Robert L. Roberts Jr., Nashville, Tenn., and Nancy L. Luckshis, Granite City.



ENGAGED. Miss Charlotte R. Rice whose engagement to James T. Kozak is being announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rice, 2044 Fourteenth St. The betrothed couple plan a March wedding.

Kozak-Rice betrothal told

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rice, 2044 Fourteenth St., are announcing the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Charlotte Rose Rice and James T. Kozak.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John

Kozak, 1522 Sixth St., Madison.

Miss Rice is employed as a secretary at Consolidated Aluminum Corp., Madison.

Her fiancé is presently working at Granite City Steel.

The couple is planning a March wedding.

Gabriel Shrine enrolls ten

Gabriel Shrine 78, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, enrolled ten new members and accorded special honors to Mrs. Betty Girtz, past worthy high priestess and supreme instructor, at a meeting last week held in the Masonic Temple.

Worthy High Priestess Mary Ellen Lewis and Watchman of Sheep, Lloyd Lewis presided at the opening services and business meeting beginning at 4 p.m. followed by a luncheon at 5:30 p.m.

A ceremonial was held at 7:30 p.m. for new members Mrs. Edna Brown, Mrs. Judy Ann Stagg, Mrs. Ruth Cox, Mrs. Cheryl Kay Streicker, Mrs. Lois Ann Bilbrey, Mrs. Alice Ruth Novack, Mrs. Pamela E. Filkins, Russell Stagg, Joseph Carter Bilbrey Jr. and Timothy J. Filkins.

Mrs. Girtz, as honored guest for the evening, was escorted and seated in the east. She was presented with a corsage and gift by the officers.

Also introduced were supreme members, Mrs. Florence Spahr, fraternal relations; Mrs. Hulda Griffith, new membership; Wanda Kincaid, queens attendant. They were presented with corsages and a gift.

Special gifts were given to 14 supreme appointments representing other Shrine Chapters and to 16 past officers during the meeting.

A Christmas party was held after the meeting in the dining room decorated with a tall tree adorned with seasonal ornaments and lights. A gift exchange was conducted and refreshments served at tables decorated with yule motifs and hand made favors.

Those winning prizes were

Hanna Kleinschmidt, Helen Merz, Lena Bruennmages and Wanda Bartling.

Those on the serving committee were Mary Bilbrey, Pauline Cox, Mrs. Girtz, Beverly Benoit, Alice Woods, Dorothy Edwards, Clara Jones, Emma Shone, Evelyn Davis, Effie Johnson, Betty McClintock, Bonnie Fisher, Wendell Girtz, Cleveland Cox, Oco Woods, and Jerry Fisher.

Sisterhood hosts yule party

The annual Christmas party of the Dewey Avenue United Methodist Church Sisterhood was held at the church during the weekend.

President Mrs. Kathy Williams opened the business session and reports were given by Mrs. Madora Shaw, secretary, and Mrs. Opal Davis, treasurer.

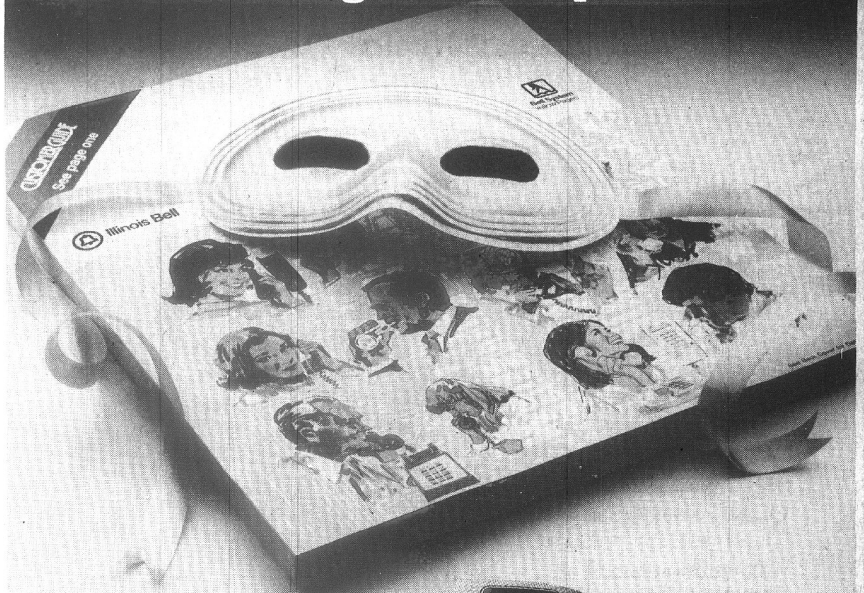
Mrs. Connie Kelly gave the invocation. Ceramic Christmas figurines, created by Mrs. Pauline Squires, served as table centerpieces. Each of the officers and Mrs. Kelly were presented with gifts. The members

agreed to donate a gift to the church.

Entertainment for the evening was furnished by the "Sunshine Quartet" of the Sweet Adeline group of Collinsville.

Others attending included Mesdames Emma Elmore, Alma Davis, Fern Sansoucie, Teddie Webb, Geneva Grudon, Mabel Groer, Elsie Byrd, Mayme Waggoner and daughter, Marlene, Mary Davis, Alma Burnett, Evelyn Thompson, Millie Sherman and Dana Kelly.

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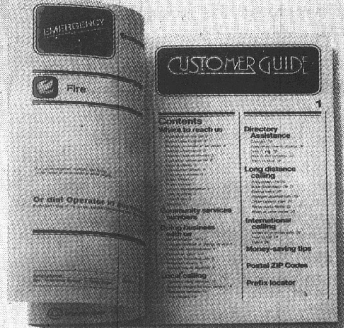


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Renee Sharp marries David Lee Jones

Miss Renee Elaine Sharp and David Lee Jones were united in marriage in a candlelight ceremony Nov. 3 at Mount Zion General Baptist Church.

The Rev. L.E. Hicks officiated at the double ring ceremony at 1 p.m. The church was decorated with arrangements of brown and gold mums.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sharp, 2620 Center St., are the parents of the bride. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Dean Jones, 3949 Park Lane.

Mrs. Wanda Renicke sang "If... We've Only Just Begun" and the Lord's Prayer. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Debbie Jones.

The bride selected a white organza gown featuring a bouffant skirt enhanced with appliques of Chantilly lace. Seed pearls and lace set off the sweetheart neckline and Empire bodice and a satin ribbon encircled her waist.

Matching lace edged the flounce hemline and chapel train. She wore a Juliet cap of Chantilly lace to secure a fingertip veil trimmed in identical lace. She carried a bouquet of orange and brown tipped carnations, roses and baby's breath.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Sandra Rogers. Additional attendants included Cheryl Curry, a cousin of the bride, and Cassandra Gray. Flower girl was Jamie Fitzjerrrells, a cousin of the bride.

They were identically styled gowns of brown velvet with ivory lace capes. Each carried a bouquet of ivory carnations tipped with orange and brown, roses and baby's breath.

The groom chose Perry Rogers to serve as best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Jones, a brother of the groom, and Joseph Gray.

Bruce Uzunoff and Danny Gray seated the guests. Jared Price served as ring bearer.

Mrs. Susan Bradley and Mrs. Angela Kelsaw were candlelighters.

A rehearsal dinner was held at Mount Zion's fellowship hall. The reception was held at Granite City Township Hall.

The guest book was presided over by Carla Barnes. The bride, a graduate of Granite City High School South, is employed as a secretary at Amco Plumbing and Heating. At South, she was a member of Future Secretaries Association and National Honor Society.

Her husband graduated from North High School where he was a member of the Honor Society, and is employed as an insulation installer at Aero-Foam Insulation.

The newlyweds are now residing in Granite City.

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DAR honors Miss Smith

The Drusilla Andrews Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met during the weekend in the Chimney Room of Burns Cafeteria with 11 members and one guest present.

Mrs. Emma Schoen, regent, led opening ceremonies and the pledge of allegiance to the flag. Mrs. Ruth McCarthy read the DAR president general's Christmas message and Miss Ella Ray Smith presented national defense topics from Rose Martin's book entitled "Last Great Nation on Earth."

Miss Smith was honored by the group for maintaining a 25-year membership in the Drusilla Andrews Chapter.

During that time, she has been regent, as well as holding most of the other offices. She was also elected to serve out the remainder of the registrar's term, which will end in the spring of 1981.

Alternate delegates to the state convention in March and the national Continental Congress in mid-April were elected. Mrs. Shirley Schwendemann was elected as first alternate to both meetings and Mrs. Jane Wilson, second alternate.

They will serve the chapter when Mrs. Schoen cannot attend a session.

Donations from both the chapter and individual members were made.

Funds receiving these donations were the DAR schools — Kate Duncan Smith in Alabama and Tamasee in North Carolina. Special gifts went to the Illinois Boys' Dorm and the Home Economics Building at the schools.

Other donations were sent to the National JAC Prize Fund, the CAR, the ROTC Award Program, the NSDAR American History Scholarship Fund, the Investment Trust Fund, Seimes Microfilm Center, the Americana Room Fund, and occupational therapy and medical scholarships.

Other recipients were the National Genealogical Records Binding Fund, the NSDAR Library in Washington, D.C., the Illinois DAR Library in Centralia, the DAR Service for Veteran-Patients which provides paperback books, the Illinois State Regent's Fund, and the Helen Pouch Memorial Fund.

Mrs. JoAnn Burcky and Mrs. McCarthy presented the afternoon's program of slides and narration on the "Old National Trail," with emphasis on the sections which crossed the state of Illinois.

Others in attendance besides those mentioned were Helen Hart, Mesdames Eva Meter, Margaret Belt, Florence Simpson, Barbara Williams and Ethel Beeler.

Mrs. Ruth Sternberg with co-hostesses Mrs. Myra Parrish, Mrs. Pat Konzen, Mrs. Bobbie Koch and Mrs. Ertha Johnson served a Christmas luncheon to members of the Noon Day Opti-Mrs. Club, Monday.

The seasonal affair was held in the Sternberg home, 2622 Cleveland Blvd. After the luncheon the group participated in singing Christmas songs and Mrs. Parrish, club president, conducted a business session. The Opti-Mrs. Creed was given by Mrs. Elvira Thurber.

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(Groveview Photo)

Miller-Koishor engagement

The engagement of Miss Barbara Jean Koishor and James Frances Miller is being announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Koishor, 2419 Washington Ave.

The prospective groom is the son of James R. Miller of Fairview Heights and the late Ruth K. Miller.

Miss Koishor graduated in 1974 from Granite City High

School South and in 1978 from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. She received a bachelor of science degree in geography.

She is employed as a graphic artist at Southwestern Illinois Planning Commission in Collinsville.

Her fiancé is a 1973 graduate of Belleville East High School. He graduated in 1977 from Parks Air College of St. Louis University where he received a bachelor of science degree in aeronautical engineering.

He is employed as an engineer at McDonnell Douglas Corporation in the astronautics division.

An early summer wedding is being planned to take place at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

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Mr. Winter hoss party

Mrs. Wilmer Winter, president of the Garden Study Club, was hostess for the Christmas party and meeting of the club last week.

A luck lunch was served Mrs. C.E. Eades, Mrs. H. Hueseman, Mrs. Norma Crenshaw, Mrs. Clifford Mang and Mrs. John McComis.

Mr. Winter opened the meeting and the collect was read in unison.

Roll call was made with each member discussing hobbies for spring, progress of fall cuttings and getting gardens ready for spring.

The club has been invited to the "Wings of Spring" flower show, it was noted. A donation was made to the Salvation Army.

Mrs. Mang will host the next meeting, which will take place in February and include an election of officers. Installation will be held in March, it was announced.

Club members discuss ornaments

Mrs. A. A. Malotti was the hostess for the December meeting of the Gardeners Garden Club. Her home was decorated for the Christmas season. Members enjoyed a buffet luncheon with table favors of silver bells. The 25th club year was properly recognized by President Mrs. Robert Hintz.

Following the luncheon, a business meeting was held. Members responded to roll call by telling something about the chickens, a little bird common to this area. Ways and means chairman Mrs. Roy Horman reported on the successful dies at the Granite City Park Craft Festival.

Mrs. Leo Schak thanked the members who participated in decorating the main floor of the Granite City Public Library. The mini-garden tour has information to caring for house plants during the cold weather, as well as seasonal decorations, it said.

The program for the afternoon was given by Mrs. Charles Kohl. She told the story of "The Christmas," a special ornament made to decorate a birthday tree for Jesus. These ornaments are signs of faith and each has a special Christmas meaning.

At the conclusion of her program, Mrs. Kohl gave each member a Christmas card that she had made.

Although there will not be a regular meeting in January, members were reminded to meet at the library on Jan. 3 to remove the Christmas decorations. Other members attending the meeting were Mesdames E. E. Eads, Richard Kerch, Mary Kristian and William Long.

Bernaix-Seebold engagement

The engagement of Miss Kim Marea Seebold and John "Buddy" Bernaix is being announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mrs. Beverly Fowler, 2115 Dawn Place, and William H. Seebold Jr., 2935 West Watson Road, Sunset Hills, Mo.

Parents of the prospective groom, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bernaix, reside at 2407 Washington Ave.

Miss Seebold is a graduate of Granite City High School North and the Granite City School of Beauty Culture. She is now employed as a hair stylist.

Her fiancé was graduated from South High School and works through the Teamsters Local 525.

The engaged couple is completing plans for a March 21 wedding to be solemnized at Calvary Baptist Church.

Homemade cookies were exchanged during the afternoon. Among those present were Mildred M. Ward, Bessie Milton, Edna Friend, Golda Boyle, Gladys Potillo, Mary Miller, Irene Kenner, Woodie Lynn, Alice Cruse, Clara Stoltz, Doris Wigger, Fern Hahn, Shirley Frick, Bertha Viessman, Eleanor Dora Youngs, Edna Stutch, Mary Groshong and those previously named.

Nameoki Presbyterian Yule service Sunday

Christmas Sunday will climax a full schedule of Advent events for the congregation of Nameoki Presbyterian Church.

"God's Gift of Peace" will be the theme of the 10:45 a.m. service, according to the pastor, the Rev. Don F. Pierson.

The annual Christmas Program and Candlelight Service will begin at 7 p.m. Sunday.

Children from the Sunday School will be directed by Mrs. Harold (Joyce) Toussaint and Mrs. Hezlie (Ruth) Todd.

The public is invited to share in the warmth and fellowship offered at these services, Rev. Pierson said.

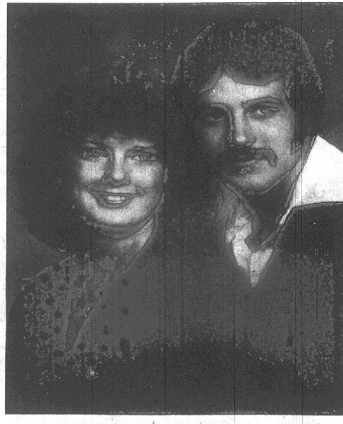
Installation and ordination of newly elected church officers will take place Sunday, Dec. 30. The morning message on the last Sunday of the "Seventies" will be "God's Gift of Hope."

A New Year's Eve all church party is slated to begin at 8 p.m. Monday, Dec. 31.

Fun, games and movies will be provided for the entire family. Refreshments will be served around 10 p.m.

The first Sunday of the New Year (Jan. 6) will be marked with the observance of Holy Communion. The message that morning will be "God's Gift of Tomorrow."

The Nameoki Presbyterian Church provides a wide range of activities that includes sponsorship of basketball, volleyball, bowling, softball



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Hilltoppers elect officers

Oliver Pfeiffer was elected to the office of president of the Hilltoppers Club of St. John United Church of Christ, at a meeting held at the church.

Others to serve with the president for the 1979-1980 year are, Mrs. Betty Cooper, vice-president; Mrs. Helen Pfeiffer, secretary; and Mrs. Lillian Adams, treasurer.

The Rev. Dr. Kenneth Netz, pastor, served as installing officer for the group.

Thirty-three members attended a noon pot luck dinner which was followed

by the business session. Mrs. Betty Cooper, the retiring officer, presided.

Prayer and the pledge of allegiance was led by Rev. Netz. He also spoke on "Christmas Week" and read two poems in relation to the holiday season.

A note of appreciation for a \$50 donation to a children's home was read during the meeting.

Following the discussions a social hour was held with Rev. Netz presiding at the piano for a song fest. In closing the group repeated The Lord's Prayer.

Chapter members attend workshop

Preceptor Beta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Linda Koenig last week.

President Imogene Forrest gave a report on a workshop held in Springfield. Representatives from Granite City were Arlene Haldeman, Evelyn Tolliver, Delores Dortch, Mrs. Koenig and Mrs. Forrest.

Social Chairman Jane Laule reported on the November theater party.

Evelyn Tolliver and May Ebling lead a group discussion on "Iranian Problems" for the cultural program. All members gave their character impressions of the political leaders of that country.

A special seasonal gift was presented to Mrs. Haldeman by Mrs. Dortch. Mrs. Martha Dyer has invited the chapter to her home for a Christmas buffet dinner preceding the next meeting.

Amy Killian celebrated her sixth birthday on Saturday at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Fern Corey of Lenox Avenue. The party was given by her mother, Mrs. Claudia Killian, and Susan Gifford.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Mike Bailey, Kevin King and Diana Schuman. Others attending included Brian Buske, Mike Batey, Kim Mertz and Elaine Franklin.

Past Chiefs Club holiday luncheon

Mrs. Ella McKittrick, 2412 State St., entertained members of the Past Chiefs Club, Pythian Sisters, Cascade Temple 216, in her home for a yuletide luncheon, this week.

Festive holiday decorations were used throughout the house and in the table appointments. After lunch gifts were exchanged and games played.

Those excelling in the games and winning prizes were Mesdames Lillie Graf, Nell Hutchison, Leola Arbogast and Olivia Lehman.

The hostess noted the next session will be held on Monday, Feb. 18, and there will be no meeting in January.

Pythian Sisters elect

Mrs. Olivia Lehman was elected most excellent chief of Pythian Sisters, Cascade Temple 216, at a special meeting held Monday at the Knights of Pythias Hall on Madison Avenue.

Others who will serve with Mrs. Lehman for the ensuing year include, Mrs. Lillie Graf, excellent senior; Mrs. Verna Michel, excellent junior; Viola Skaggs, manager; Nell Hutchison, secretary; Alice Cruse, treasurer; Kathryn Todoroff, protector; Irene Goodde, guard; Ella McKittrick, past chief; Mary Ahlvers, pianist.

Also Mrs. Ahlvers and Mary Andria, trustees; Mrs. Graf, installing officer; Mrs. McKittrick, grand representative and Mrs. Hutchison, alternate.

Installation ceremonies are planned for Sunday, Jan. 6, it was announced and the next regular meeting will be at 1 p.m., Jan. 14.

The meeting was held at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road, for members and seven guests, and was partially funded by the Illinois Arts Council state agency it was announced.

Presiding at the business segment was President Eva Meadows. She noted the next meeting is set for Jan. 15.

Art Guild hears Mrs. Judy Girtman

Mrs. Judy Girtman, a Collinsville artist and teacher, was the featured speaker at a meeting of the Granite City Art Guild.

She has had paintings sold throughout the country and during her presentation created an acrylic work of art which was sold at the session.

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Wedding Plans

Engagement and wedding information questionnaires are available at the Press-Record office, 1815 Delmar Ave., and will be mailed upon request. Wedding forms are to be completed and returned to the society department two weeks prior to the wedding.

Bride's photo should accompany information but the story will be held for photo if available within a reasonable time after the wedding. Note: Black and white photos are preferred for publication.

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**Mrs. Marie Perry
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Mrs. Marie Perry was hostess to the Monday Afternoon Club this week for a regular meeting and holiday party.

Those winning prizes during the afternoon were Mesdames Theresa Walkenbach, Leona Parente, Marvel Clover and Myrtle Bruns.

The hostess served a dessert luncheon to those mentioned and to Mrs. Grace Hennrich, Mrs. Margaret Richardson and Mrs. Agnes Garren. Mrs. Richardson will host the next gathering, it was noted.

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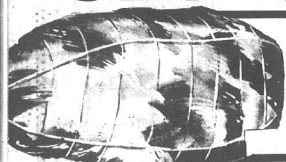
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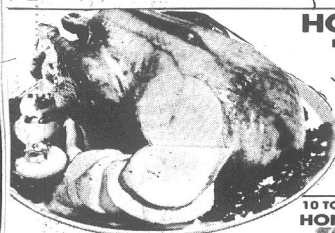
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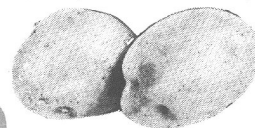
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Happy holiday news on local drives and Santa Claus

As is true in any season of the year, there are both happy and sad news. Fortunately, the major trend in today's news is positive and upbeat.

With Christmas only several days away, it is a pleasure to report that the Salvation Army Tree of Lights drive for holiday help to the needy is progressing well, and that the distribution of food, toys and gifts will take place this week.

An unprecedented total of \$666,458 has been contributed to the Tri-Cities Area United Way. This total won't allow some proposed improvements and expansions to be carried out, but it and various economies will enable not only basic services to continue but also a number of innovations and service improvements to be made.

With great timing for the fast-approaching holidays, the Granite City

Board of Education this week enacted levies enabling the next school tax rate to approximate \$3.35 per \$100 assessed valuation, a decrease of 43 cents from the previous rate of \$3.78.

Other news also is heartwarming. For example, holiday vacations are in store for a number of Quad-Cityans. And Santa Claus has mapped out a busy schedule for himself to make sure that he sees as many local youngsters as possible this week and next week.

Hundreds of others news events will be occurring throughout the Christmas-New Year period, and readers will be able to keep fully up-to-date. Due to the way the calendar is structured this year, the Press-Record will be able to continue regular Monday and Thursday publication days without conflicting with the two big holidays.

Taxes being wasted on needless consulting contracts

Press-Record Washington Bureau — We applaud Arkansas Sen. David Pryor in his crusade against federal consulting contracts.

Certainly there are consulting contracts for which the taxpayer receives full value. But too many of them are just a way of paying generous fees to former federal officials and private industry experts. The bureaucrats should be able to do the job themselves.

Pryor cites a \$9,800 fee paid to consultants by the Energy Department to compile a list of federal permits required

to build a power plant.

Another of the department's 160 \$100-a-day consultants last summer was providing "advice and analytic assistance in developing methodology for measuring the quantitative requirements to regulatory processes."

The House and Urban Affairs Department paid a consultant \$1,500 a \$375 a day to stuff a standard HUD form into a grant application.

The federal budget is large enough to enable the government to stuff its own envelopes.

Favors ending cumulative voting

To the Editor:

A year ago, Illinois voters overwhelmingly approved the Thompson proposition, an advisory directive to the legislature to put a limit on taxes and spending.

The politicians' first response to this voters' mandate was to increase their own pay. In record time, the raise was passed, vetoed by Governor Thompson over the telephone, and his veto overridden.

A massive response of letters to the editor, 32,000 teabags on the governor's desk, and citizen protests caused a one-year rollback of part of the raise.

What have the nation's highest paid legislators done since they increased their own pay in record time?

They've spent a year talking about tax relief, but left all but a penny of the sales tax on food and medicine.

They haven't ended their own "double-dipping" or legislative junkies. They've increased taxes twice. It's been politics as usual in Springfield.

As the Illinois campaigns begin, it will be difficult for hard-pressed taxpayers to vote them out.

Under the Illinois system of cumulative voting, "bullet votes" by political machines virtually insure that incumbents are re-elected.

Since four out of three positions, incumbents only have to come in third.

We need to end this uncivilized system of cumulative voting. We need to free overpaid and

unproductive legislators by reducing the size of the legislature.

It is time for Illinois voters to cut the Illinois legislature down to size.

The Coalition for Political Honesty's legislative cut-back amendment will do just that. For the first time in Illinois history, voters can, by gathering 252,000 signatures on petitions, directly stop this political arrogance in Springfield.

Gathering these signatures will put a binding constitutional amendment on the 1980 ballot to reduce the size of the legislature and end cumulative voting. For petitions, Quad-Cityans may call 388-1871 or write Box 3070, Fairview Heights 62088.

DAVID VAUGHN

Hospital Notes

Patients admitted to St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

Wednesday—Betty Jones and Alpha Climer, both of Granite City.

Child is beaten

The beating of a 2-year-old girl in her crib at St. Elizabeth Medical Center between 9 and 5 p.m. Tuesday is under investigation by Granite City

police and medical center security personnel.

Eggy Goetz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Goetz, 2122 Adams St., had undergone surgery on her tongue earlier Tuesday and was recuperating in the fourth floor children's ward when she was beaten.

She was put in the crib at 3 p.m. Tuesday without any injuries and a nurse discovered at 5 p.m. that the child was injured.

She suffered bruises to her forehead, face, neck, abdomen and back, scratches to her forehead, face, neck and the backs of both hands and a bump to her forehead, authorities said.

Police and hospital personnel questioned the nurses and personnel who were near the child during the time and say they have been unable to determine whether an adult or one of the other children who are patients in the ward was responsible.

TRUCK MOTOR BURNS

Fire caused about \$250 damage to the wiring and rubber hoses in the engine compartment of the pickup truck of Reed Martin, parked at the Kroger Food Store lot at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. The suspected cause is an overflow of gasoline from the carburetor which ignited on the hot engine. Granite City firemen were on the scene 15 minutes.

The Illinois Board of Elections this week cited the People's Right to Vote group in Granite City, the Nameki Township Wardens Association and the Pontoon Beach Pontoon Progress Party for failing to disclose campaign gifts and spending.

ONK'S DRIVE-IN LIQUOR IT'S QUICKER!



LIVE NATIVITY SCENE last night, created by costumed members of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church. Despite cold weather early in the week, the congregation alternated in depicting the traditional Christmas manger

setting, to be viewed by passing motorists and pedestrians. The Nativity was staged on the front lawn of the Downtown Granite City church Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

(Press-Record Photo by Pat Pickett)

Pass sewer manual; seek superintendent

By GARY SCHNEIDER

An operations and maintenance manual for the new sanitary sewers in Nantooki Chouteau and Venice townships was approved by the Madison County Board Wednesday morning and sent the stage for appointment of a superintendent for the district immediately.

Louis Whitsell, chairman of the county's special sewer committee, said the committee is likely to make its recommendation of a superintendent Wednesday night, Dec. 26, and the recommendation will be submitted to the county board for approval at its January meeting.

Anyone interested in applying for the position, which pays up to \$25,000 per year, is being urged to contact Whitsell or deliver a resume to his home at 3 Westgate Drive, Pontoon Beach, as soon as possible so the application can be studied prior to the Dec. 26 meeting.

Whitsell said two candidates have been suggested by committee members, but other applications will be welcomed for consideration.

The superintendent must pass a state test and achieve written certification after he is hired, but the test is as difficult as the test for persons supervising sewage treatment plants.

The district will not operate its own treatment facilities, Whitsell said.

Certification of a superintendent is a requirement of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency when construction of the sewers is 90 percent complete. The agency will not release the last 10 percent of the grant money for the construction project until that requirement is met, Whitsell said.

"We are at that (90 percent) point and there are papers the raw sewerage treatment must fill out before we can qualify for the last 10 percent of our grant. We must act now," he added.

The operations and maintenance manual passed at Wednesday morning's county board meeting regulates the use of public and private sewers and drains, but will become effective only when the new sewers are operational.

Currently, subdivisions may obtain permits from the county and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency to install sanitary sewers in their subdivisions and cap the subdivision sewers until the county sewers are ready for connection. The contractor then must have an inflow study conducted and certify to the county that the subdivision's sewers meet county specifications.

When the county sewers go into operation and the new ordinance takes effect, any contractor who proposes to have sanitary sewers installed in a subdivision must send specifications from his engineer to the county, which then will advertise for bids for installing the sewers and the county board will select the lowest responsible

bidder to do the work.

The board issued a permit Wednesday to construct sanitary sewers in the Brandon Heights Subdivision off Maryville Road in Mitchell, with the understanding the subdividers will do the work and will cap the sewers until they are accepted into the county system. The EPA already has approved a permit for the work.

In other business at the Wednesday morning meeting, the board gave its chairman, Nelson Hagnauer, authority to name an engineer to serve as an arbitrator in settling differences between Granite City and the county on the cost the county sewer users will be charged for sewage treatment at the city's treatment plant.

City officials also are to choose one arbitrator and both sides must agree on a third, according to the original contract with the city for use of the city's treatment facilities, but some city officials have

indicated they would rather challenge the contract in court than appoint an arbitrator.

Agreement over the cost of treating sewage from the county sewers has developed because city officials feel county sewer users should pay a \$10 surcharge quarterly, in addition to \$13 per month for sewage treatment.

The surcharge, now charged all sewer users residing outside of the city limits, is to reimburse the city for the costs it already has paid for construction of the treatment plant and plant secondary treatment.

Two change orders were approved by the county board for the sewer project. They will save the county about \$1,000, according to Whitsell.

One change eliminates a proposed manhole near the Granite City Army Installation and the other adds some sewer pipe in the Mitchell area, he explained.

Madison crackdown on burning of trash

Burning in trash barrels was a cause of concern at the Madison City Council meeting Tuesday.

"We have had three fires recently caused by burning in trash barrels and we are going to have to enforce the law against burning," Madison Mayor Mike Sasyk said.

"I would like the aldermen to talk to the people in their wards about this problem."

"It is illegal, but we have never really been too tough. I am asking the police chief to inform his men to begin making arrests."

"I hope the people will cooperate and stop the burning voluntarily," Sasyk said.

It was noted by several aldermen that part of the problem was children going through alleys and starting fires.

"We can ask the people to be alert for this and call the police if anyone sees people in the alley playing with matches. The parents of these children can be held responsible," Sasyk commented.

A request for condemnation proceedings to start against a building at 313 Jackson St. in Madison, was approved at the request of Curtis King Sr., assistant building inspector.

The council voted that Judith Donaldson be included in the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund. City Comptroller Al Hudok said, "I would like to inform the council that city vehicle licenses will be available in mid-January. I will let the council know as soon as the exact dates are known."

Home invasion and robbery

Mrs. Carol Edwards, of the 2300 block of Paul Ave., heard a noise at the front door of her residence at 10:15 p.m. Wednesday. When she answered the door a young man, holding an object in his left hand, said, "I want your money and you better give it to me."

She then handed him \$25 from her purse and he said, "This had better be all of it

and don't call the police."

Madison County deputies, with the aid of their new police dog, followed the youth's trail away from the house to a point where he apparently got into an automobile.

The youth was described as being about 19 years of age, slender build, blue eyes and wearing a light brown ski mask.

Gun pointed at woman; man arrested last night

Norman A. Hahn, 35, of 2004 McCasland Ave., Madison, has been charged with aggravated assault, leaving the scene of an accident, unlawful use of a weapon and failure to possess a firearm owner's identification card after he allegedly pointed a gun at a woman in the parking lot of Crossroads Plaza Shopping Center at 9 p.m. Wednesday and tried to force her into his truck.

County Board OKs pay hikes

Seven percent pay raises were granted to supervisor personnel of Madison County departments, the county board decided unanimously yesterday morning.

The raises are to be retroactive to Dec. 1. A total of 27 supervisors are affected. The percentage of the raise is equal to raises given department heads in November.

Negotiations are continuing between the county and the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Local 799, which represents about 270 county employees. Their contract expired Dec. 1, but the members are working while negotiations continue. The next bargaining session will be after the holidays.

The victim said she was about to get into her car in the parking lot when the driver of a pickup truck parked next to her car leaned across the seat of his truck, pointed a handgun at her and said, "Hey, get in the truck."

She ran toward the shopping center stores and heard the man yelling behind her, "Hey, hey," she reported. She ran into the Radio Shack store and the truck backed up, striking the parked car of Keith Easley, 2519 Jordan Ave., before leaving the scene.

A witness followed the truck long enough to get a description of it and a license number and then went back to Crossroads Plaza and talked to police. The license number allegedly was registered to Hahn and Madison officers checked his home and found him returning home in his truck.

A Madison officer held him at gunpoint until Granite City police and other Madison officers arrived and he was taken into custody.

A .22-caliber pistol with five live rounds of ammunition in it was allegedly found hidden in the dashboard of the truck. The victim viewed Hahn. He was taken to the Granite City Jail awaiting a court appearance today.

PRESS RECORD ADS GET RESULTS



CITY AND CETA COOPERATION. From the left, Chamber of Commerce Executive Vice-President Jim Livingston, Jim Stack of the Granite City Inspection department and Kim Affolter of the Madison County Manpower Office

watch CETA (Comprehensive Employment and Training Act) employees sweep a sidewalk in the 1900 block of Edison Avenue this week. In cooperation with the city government, CETA workers are being assigned to such tasks.

(Press-Record Photo)

North gives DeSmet a wrestling lesson

By ROBERT REHG
for the Press-Record

DeSmet wrestling coach Tim Clepper was impressed with the way Granite City North defeated his Spartans 43-12 Monday night at DeSmet.

"I tell you — they are an excellent team," said Clepper. "Our kids fought hard, but they were just better than us. We enjoy wrestling them. We learn from them."

And a wrestling lesson is exactly what the Steelers gave DeSmet.

The first five North wrestlers to take the mat won with Mike Robinson at 98 pounds, Steve Smith at 105 pounds, Gerald Miller at 112 pounds and Tracy Patton at 119 pounds, all outpointing their opponents.

Only Miller came close to losing when he was almost pinned by Paul Mudd near the end of his match. Miller skillfully escaped Mudd's hold in the closing seconds, however, and kept his perfect 7-0 record intact.

Robert Kirgan then brought the Granite City North fans to their feet by pinning DeSmet's Mark O'Toole in a battle of the 126-pounders. Kirgan, also 7-0 this year with five pins to his credit, had little trouble getting motivated for his match.

"This is the guy that beat me last year," Kirgan said of O'Toole. "I was better than he was, but I was out of shape. I've been looking forward to this. It was for revenge."

DeSmet finally got on the board when 132-pound Mike Kehoe pinned North's Steve Gibson barely a minute into the match. The victory also proved to be a matter of getting even for Kehoe.

"Kirgan's (Robert's older brother, Allen) broke my collar bone last year so I was out for revenge," said Kehoe.

With all the personal scores seemingly evened, the Steelers went on to win the next four matches.

After 138-pound Kevin

Shenwell raised his record to 6-1 with a 12-4 win over DeSmet's Jim Owens, the Steelers' Scott Corey won handily over Cris Cepicky 20-0 in the 145-pound weight class.

Then followed North's most gratifying victory of the night as freshman Bill Zimmer at 155 pounds came from behind to outpoint Jim Rossia 6-5.

"Bill needed that one," said North coach Walt Whitaker. "That was his second win and he needed it for his confidence. What Bill doesn't know in technique he makes up for in aggressiveness."

North's 167-pound Tom Nance followed Zimmer's win by pinning Jim Vatterott. The victory was also an important one for Nance as he raised his record to 2-4.

DeSmet's Mike Prosperi at 185 pounds, then gave his team a much needed lift by pinning Dave Owens. North ended the match on a high

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SCOTT COREY of Granite City North grimaces either from the pain of his opponents hold or the feat of being pinned. While this opponent from earlier in the season seems to have

the better of Corey, few of DeSmet's wrestlers could claim the same Monday. The Steelers won the dual meet, 43-13.

(Photo by Ed Seidel)



HANDS OFF, at least for the moment. The Assumption player behind Kevin Wiggall came up with this ball, as the Pioneers did regularly against Venice, Tuesday night.

(Photo by Ed Seidel)

Whole lotta shakin'

GRANITE CITY — There was movement aplenty in the Press Record-Collinsville Herald poll of area basketball teams this week.

The movement, however, took place almost exclusively in the class A (small school) poll. The panel of class AA (large school) coaches came up with only one change in the rankings.

Class A coaches moved last week's number two ranked Assumption down to number four, and replaced it with Wesclin. Okaville also moved ahead of the Pioneers.

PRESS-RECORD HERALD BASKETBALL POLL

CLASS A

(First place votes in parentheses)

Team	Pts.
1. MADISON (4)	46
2. Wesclin (Trenton)	41
3. Okaville	33
4. Assumption	30
5. New Athens	20
6. Lovejoy (1)	17
(tie) Lehigh	17
8. VENICE	11
(tie) Carlyle	11
10. Breese Mater Dei	10

Other teams receiving votes were Nashville 7; Breese Central 5; Southwestern 4; Chester 3; Litchfield 2; and Dupon, St. Paul and Valleymer all with 1.

PRESS-RECORD HERALD BASKETBALL POLL

CLASS AA

(First place votes in parentheses)

Team	Pts.
1. East St. Louis (8)	89
2. Collinsville (1)	81
3. Cahokia	70
4. Alton	62
5. East St. Louis Lincoln	53
6. Edwardsville	36
7. Mascoutah	35
8. Wood River	30
9. GRANITE CITY SOUTH	14
10. Belleville West	11

Other team receiving votes were Highland 8, Belleville East 2 and O'Fallon 2.

Press-Record

Sports

Assumption strikes Venice with more than just awe

By KEVIN ALLEN
of the Press-Record

VENICE — This is the combination: the Venice Red Devils minus their all-around strongest player, and the Assumption Pioneers, who seem to be finding the right shaped holes for all their talented pegs.

And this is the result: an interesting basketball game — interesting if you happen to be from Assumption.

Otherwise you'll probably feel like the Red Devils — trounced.

The final score was 78-46. Venice had 46.

"The thing is," Venice coach Ken Perkins said,

"They just did whatever they wanted to. This is probably as frustrated as I've been with a coach. When you know there's nothing you can do to stop a team it's pretty tough."

The Pioneers simply marched down the court, staked out the middle of the floor under the basket, and dared the Devils to try and put the ball over, under, or through them.

And Venice couldn't. With the likes of 6-8 Marnell Carter, and 6-6 Gerald Stevenson acting like turnstiles under the Assumption basket there was very little the Venice defense could do to stop the Pioneers, either.

"We played about as well as we could against them, with what we had, in the first quarter," Perkins said. "But you knew once we got down we weren't going to come back on them. They're awesome."

In the first quarter, Venice saw the Pioneers' Carter and Stevenson pop in two baskets before the Devils completed one full trip down the court.

It got worse, however, before it got better. Down 4-0 almost from the tip-off, the Pioneers kept the scoreboard ringing, and Venice away from the basket.

Late in the period, Assumption pulled 11 points ahead when Stevenson scored on a jumper from the right side, giving the Pioneers a 19-4 lead with 48 seconds to go.

But Venice rallied on defense, stopping Assumption twice — first by drawing a foul, then by forcing a jump-ball on a rebound.

Both times, the Red Devils scored, and by the end of the quarter cut the lead to 19-12. But as Perkins said, that

was probably the Devils best minutes of the game. Only the remaining minutes might have been Assumption's best minutes so far this season.

The Pioneers made the game look simple.

They controlled the boards, getting at times three and four chances to put the ball through the net.

They quickly stopped Venice's outside game by concentrating solely on

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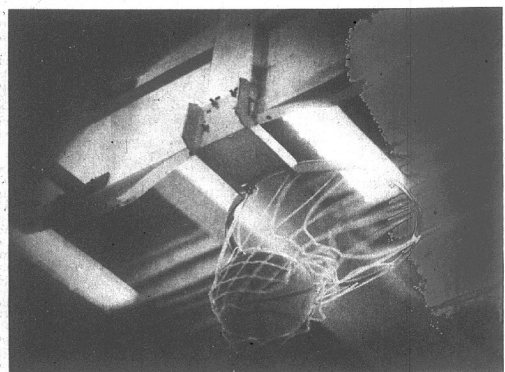
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Side Lines... by Kevin Allen



Harry doesn't like to horse around

GRANITE CITY — He didn't look so tough, this little kid.

Sure, I'd heard all about his accuracy from the free throw line. How he went to Kansas City last year and was one of the 12 best basketball shots in the country for kids eight and nine years old.

But he didn't scare me. Shoot, he's only four-foot-three.

I should have known better the minute he accepted my challenge of a free-throw contest. He was so smug about it.

"You want to have a little contest Harry?" I asked. "We'll each shoot 10 free throws and the one who makes the most wins."

"OK," he said as he flicked in a shot from about 20 feet out. "I don't care. It doesn't matter to me."

Try having a guy less than half your age and a little more than half your height shrug you off so nonchalantly, and see what it does for your confidence.

I remembered some of the things I'd read and heard about Harry before I'd come to the Grigsby Junior High school gym.

And as I ran over this ten-year-old's achievements, my feet began to feel a little chilly.

But by then of course, it was too late. Harry had already stepped to the line.

I rememered seeing his name listed in a pamphlet sent out by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

Harry's was one of 12 names of boys 8 and 9 who had competed in the national finals of the Elks "Hoop Shoot" free throw contest last March at Kemper Arena in Kansas City.

The brochure also said these kids advanced to the national contest by winning local, regional, state, and sectional contests.

I knew all that when I found Harry and his father, Harry Briggs Jr., in the gymnasium at Grigsby Junior High.

Harry the third was flicking the basketball at the hoop, some six feet above, from spots all over the court. Most of the time they made a kind of brushing sound when they went through.

And most of the time they went through.

Before I challenged Harry, I talked to his dad, who was rebounding under the backboard.

"A lot of kids are really skilled," Briggs said. "But Harry's got exceptional hand-eye coordination."

"Do you play him?" I was curious.

"I used to," Briggs said. "And I'll tell you what, I used to play some ball, but Harry can beat me. I don't challenge him any more. What's the use."

"He can shoot something like 23 out of 25. He can beat anybody."

Sure, I thought, but this was his father talking. His opinion was bound to be biased, right?

Then Harry changed my mind.

Once in position at the line, he lined the ball up with the rim, and without much undo hesitation, let it fly.

Harry's first shot went swish, right through the hole. It was the kind of shot basketball players like to call string music.

I realized I had to do something to avoid being humiliated by a ten-year-old miniature Jerry West, so I decided to try to distract him on this next shot. Call it panic.

I started firing questions at him. "What grade are you in? How much do you practice? What do your friends think of what you do? Do you ever get nervous?"

I found out a lot about Harry, but that was about all that happened.

Two out of two.

Harry told me he was in the fifth grade, that he practices an hour to two hours almost every night, that his friends don't pay too much attention to his competition, and that no, he doesn't often get nervous.

Well, I do. And about now I was. But then something happened.

Harry missed.

Then he missed again. Then two more times. Four times in all.

Until I quietly put away my noisy camera that I had been clicking near his face.

Then he sank his last four in a row and it was my turn.

My first shot hit nothing but net as it swished through. My second shot was almost as clean.

"How many is that?" I asked Harry.

"I don't know," he said. "I wasn't counting."

When I missed my third shot Harry smiled. Two more misses and his smile grew.

I now had to make my four remaining shots to tie. The pressure was on.

I lined it up, let it go, and it bounced off the backboard, skimming over the edge of the rim.

"That's it," Harry said triumphantly.

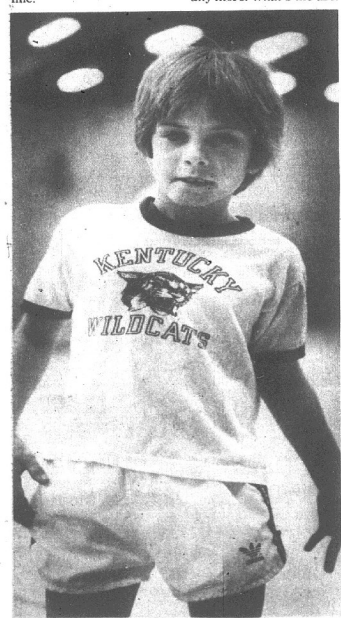
"I thought you weren't counting," I said.

I read a note from the Elks club the other day that listed the winners of this year's Granite City "Hoop Shoot."

It said that the runner-up in the boys 10-13 division was Todd Adams.

And that the winner of the division was — you guessed it — Harry Briggs the third.

He made 19 of 20 shots. Well, I'm still not scared of you Harry. And you return this year to the national contest I demand a rematch.



HARRY BRIGGS III

Women's sports: Beginning to boom

Deterding hopes to finish strong

By KEVIN ALLEN of the Press-Record

CARBONDALE — She comes across as an outspoken, frank, and serious woman.

Her attitudes fly in the face of many of the traditional values of sports. Yet she can laugh about herself and her various roles in life. And she still thinks —

just as the little league coaches like to remind fledgling athletes — that athletics really do build character.

She is Robin Deterding, formerly of Granite City South high school, but more recently a three-sport standout at SIU-Carbondale.

Robin graduated from South in 1975, after playing basketball, volleyball, and tennis there.

She went to Carbondale and immediately resumed her multi-faceted sports career. During her first two years there she played volleyball, basketball, and

softball for the Salukis.

Last year, she gave up basketball to concentrate on the other two sports and to have a break between sports.

The move was apparently beneficial. Since then she has been named all-state in both volleyball and softball and was co-captain of the Saluki volleyball team this year.

"The biggest transition between high school and collegiate athletics," Deterding said, "is the amount of work you have to put in. The first two years I was here, I was constantly working on conditioning."

"You put in four hours in a game one day and four more the next and the next day you practice for two-and-a-half hours and by the weekend your drained."

By the time she was a junior, Deterding had decided to cut back. She wanted more time for classes and that meant something had to go.

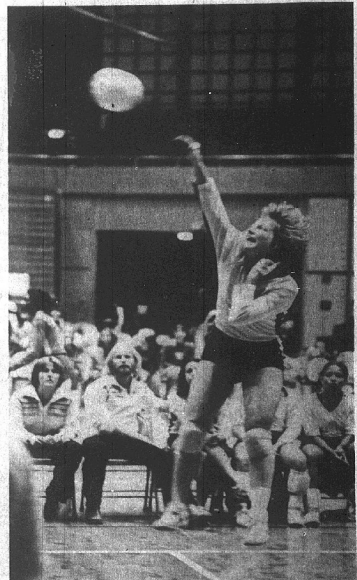
Ironically, Deterding said sports have had more of a positive influence on her scholastics than might be expected.

"It's funny," she said. "But when I'm not in a season I tend to become lazy. I find the more disciplined I am in sports the more discipline I have as a student."

It's the kind of combination that makes teaching, particularly coaching, seem like a natural ambition.

Deterding is entering her last semester at SIU, and except for student teaching is finished with her work toward an education and biology degree.

"My ultimate goal," she said, "is to teach at the college level. But right now I'm looking for a high school coaching job or something as an assistant in a college."



ROBIN DETERDING

South has the right mix

By KEVIN ALLEN of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — The Granite City Warriorettes basketball team hopes to combine some things new with some things familiar this year.

Heading the list of the things new is first-year coach Norm Grabe.

Not only is this Grabe's first year at South, it's his first year coaching.

Everything else equal, though, Grabe thinks the most serious disadvantage for a coach taking over fresh is his lack of familiarity with the opposition.

"That is if those things being equal are chiefly talent. That's what Grabe likes to talk about. And that's where the things familiar come in."

The Warriorettes seem to be abundantly supplied with girls returning from last season — a season that saw South seriously challenge area powerhouses like

Collinsville and East St. Louis Lincoln.

In all, six girls who lettered in the sport last season will return for South this year.

And Grabe said more than those will be on the court during the course of the season.

"The thing about experience is that it allows you different opportunities," Grabe said. "We'll substitute pretty freely."

What Grabe has in mind is a team with the ability to do more than just one thing well.

"If the opportunity arises we'll run and fast break or use a zone press, or fall back into a man-to-man, or whatever," he said.

Right now, South is working hard on two areas Grabe considers fundamental to any of these areas of the game — shooting and aggressiveness.

"We've been trying to get more aggressive under the boards and we've been trying to establish some set offensive patterns," he said. "But the nucleus for the team was already there."

Grabe was referring to the four starters that returned to the team from last season.

Chris Boyd, Nita Graham, Susan Bell, and Laura Gabriel all were on the court much of the time last season.

But also returning are Betty Bulva, and Terry Schuler, the two other lettermen from last season.

Grabe said, in addition to these experienced players, the play of Cathy Feigle, Cathy Sikora, Natalie Buxter, and Susan Jeffries has also been impressive.

"We have a lot of playing experience," Grabe said. "I don't know much about how good the competition is, but we've looked really good in practice."

Sports better than what's second for Boyd

By KEVIN ALLEN of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — "Up Chris, they yell when the basketball seems to have a chance to fall from the backboard."

"Up Chris," is the call when a high pass comes over the middle of the court.

"Up Chris, up Chris," A Granite City South Warriorette mimicked out on the court where the South girls were practicing. "That sounds like something you'd say to a dog."

Chris Boyd takes a good-natured swing at the girl and they both laugh.

Then another play is called and Boyd is all fluid movement. She sets a screen, rolls off toward the basket, where she works for position against her teammate turned opponent.

The ball goes up, and Boyd firms her position inside. She watches as it hangs on the rim, waiting to see on which side it falls.

When it falls out, she's up over everyone and sending the ball back through the nets in one movement.

"Did you see that?" someone asks. "Boy I sure am glad she's on our side."

"She is our side," someone else says.

Although it may perturb some to focus what seems under attention on one player, there seems to be little disagreement in the girls' gym at South.

Chris Boyd is a very good basketball player. Furthermore, she commands attention.

Now a junior, Boyd has played at South since she was a freshman. In addition she has stood out in volleyball, track, and softball at South during the past three years.

She energetic, enthusiastic and an amazement to watch. While South coach Norm Grabe explains some finer points of a newly installed offensive maneuver, Boyd paces restlessly on the court. She stops squats down, stands up paces some more, exchanges a joke with a teammate nearby, then executes the play perfectly.

Not only does Boyd have energy to burn, she apparently has stamina too. "I'm still not over the volleyball season yet," she said. "It takes a while for the sport you've just got done with wears off."

I go directly from volleyball into basketball,

then into fast-pitch softball at school in the spring and from there into slow-pitch softball in the summer."

Why does a teenage girl give up whatever other teenage girls have in order to participate non-stop in sports?

"I play because that's what I want to do," Boyd said. "About the only things I care about are sports, animals, and school."

And from those interests stems a daily schedule crammed from top to bottom with activity.

"I'm in school all day, then I go to practice at night," Boyd said.

"Then I go home and do something and start doing homework. I'm up till about midnight with that. I have to keep up with it because I have accelerated classes."

Boyd is in perpetual motion on and off the court. When it's the game that's causing her to move, it's usually because she's paired against the toughest of the opponent's players.

"That would certainly be the case when South faces Collinsville in either volleyball or basketball, because across the net is court, depending on the season, usually stands Kim Brombolich."

If Boyd is considered a star, Brombolich is a superstar. Her name is synonymous with the best among high school girls athletes.

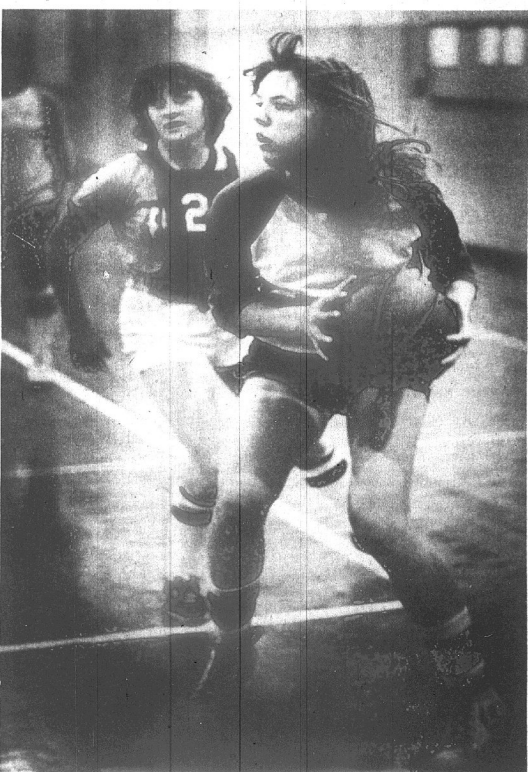
"I'm used to it by now," Boyd said. "Really we're good friends. We played on the same volleyball team over the summer. She's amazing. People from all over know about her. I felt like a little tag-along with her."

But once on the court, Boyd said, the friendship is put aside. "Sure we key on her, everyone does. We made her look bad in our first volleyball game this year."

Boyd said this with obvious pride. She is, after all, an athlete with similar abilities.

"I'd like to go on in sports in College," she said. "But I'd like animals so much, I'd like to go to a school that offered a veterinarian degree."

That makes sense, considering Boyd's personality. She wouldn't want to slow down just because she left high school.



CHRIS BOYD

Scoreboard

School Wrestling

MONDAY, Dec. 17
HIGH SCHOOL
 Granite City North 43, DeSmet 12 (Varsity)
 Granite City North 35, DeSmet 28 (JV)
TUESDAY, Dec. 18
JUNIOR HIGH
 Prather 35, Mascoutah 29
FRIDAY, Dec. 21
 Bethalto at Granite North, varsity and JV, 6:30 p.m.
 Granite South at Parkway North, Soph., JV, varsity, 7 p.m.
SATURDAY, Dec. 22
 Mt. Vernon at Granite North, frosh, soph., JV, varsity, 1 p.m.

Park Basketball

MONDAY, Dec. 17
Southern League
 Cotton 54 (CB — Norm White Cotton, O — Carroll Shuler)
 Smokey Joe's 53, Sandy's 63 (SJ — Virgil Kirkey 14, S — Dan Harper 18)
Men's East
 Captain's Clipper 2, Stoores 0 (Forfeited)
 GCAC 56, Saints 54
Church League
 Niedringhaus Methodist 56, 2nd Baptist 39 (NM — 24, 2B — Larry Melton 11)
 Grace Baptist 58, 3rd Baptist 53 (GB — Jeff Reiter 16, Ron Hahne 32)
TUESDAY, Dec. 18
Women's
 Hill and Co. No. 2 42, Hammond Stables 29
Western
 Gater's 42, GC Police Local 1347 46 (Gater's Tim Anderson 16, Police Dave Ruehassen 12)

C and J's 54, GC Firemen 36
 Spartan Athletic Club 66, Rich Oil Rockets 72 (Spartan Fred Eaglin 29, Rich Oil Rob Rongey 18)
TODAY, Dec. 20
Eastern
 Jacobsmeier v. Flyers vs. Middleton Photography, 8:30 p.m.
Church
 Nameoki United Methodist vs. Nameoki United Presbyterian, 7:30 p.m.

Basketball

TUESDAY, Dec. 18
COLLEGE
 SIUE 62, Northwestern 76
HIGH SCHOOL
 Venice 46, Assumption 78 (Varsity)
 Venice 41, Assumption 49 (JV)
 Madison girls 63, O'Fallon 57
JUNIOR HIGH
 Prather 19, Edwardsville 34 (8th grade)
 Prather 14, Edwardsville 39 (7th grade)
 Coolidge 36, Roxana 51 (8th grade)
 Coolidge 39, Roxana 23 (7th grade)
 Madison 47, Webster 26 (8th grade)
 Madison 25, Webster 23 (7th grade)
 Grigsby 43, Collinsville North 28 (8th grade)
 Grigsby 36, Collinsville North 35 (7th grade)

Park Volleyball

TODAY, Dec. 20
Southern
 Jacobsmeyers vs. Sports Tap, 7 p.m.
 Smokey Joe's Fantastic Few vs. Ingleside Tavern, 8 p.m.

Bulk Service vs. Nameoki Presbyterian, 9 p.m.

Ice Hockey

SATURDAY, Dec. 22
 Granite South Hockey Club at Aquinas, North County, 11 p.m.
SUNDAY, Dec. 23
 Granite South Hockey Club at Meville, Queeny Park, 3:45 p.m.

North

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note, however, as heavyweight Tim Wyrostek outpointed DeSmet's Mike Long 6-4.

DeSmet had to win all the close matches and stay even or better in the lower weights to win it. Clepper said after the final match, "But all the close ones went to them."

Whitaker singled out the performances of his heavyweights as being an important factor in Granite City's victory.

"The success of Eastern's athletic program has made a significant contribution to both the University and the Central Illinois area in the past few years, and we are approaching this search as an important item of business," said Marvin.

Dr. Jimmie Franklin, Professor of history and faculty representative of athletics, will head the seven-person of

When asked how he felt his club was progressing the season Whitaker said, "I think the club is moving along a little slower because they are so young. We have a freshman, three sophomores, three juniors and only three seniors. They'll improve with experience."

If they get any better, DeSmet might not want any more lessons.

Cougar wrestlers rest

By DOUG IRVIN

for the Press-Record

EDWARDSVILLE — The

Cougar wrestlers of SIUE

have returned from the road

to pause for the Christmas

break. Even though their

dual meet record is 3-3, SIUE

still maintains two un-

defeated wrestlers in their

four most recent duals. Reed at

126 pounds and Tim Ervin at

142.

SIUE defeated the Air

Force Academy in Colorado

Spring, Colo., Dec. 12, by a

score of 24-22. Previously,

the Cougars had bowed to the

Frontiers of Eastern Illinois

University, 29-11 on Nov. 29.

The University of Colorado

beat SIUE in Boulder, Colo.,

33-12 on Dec. 13, and the

following night, the

University of Wyoming

hosted and beat the Cougars

30-18.

In all four meets, senior

captain Tim Napier, 158

pounds, forfeited due to

injuries sustained in prac-

tices. Charles Shelton, 167,

forfeited to the last three

meets. The Air Force, Colorado

and Wyoming all held a 12-0 lead before the

wrestling began due to these

forfeits.

Reed, a 126-pound junior,

boasted a 4-0 dual record and

has a fourth and two first-

place finishes to his credit in

tournament action. At the

Illinois Invitational (in

Charleston on Nov. 30 and

Dec. 1), Reed took top

honors, winning four

straight. Then on Dec. 6, in

Warrensburg, Mo., Reed

won the Central Missouri

Invitational.

Napier has not competed

on the dual level for the

Cougars yet this year, but he

took second place in the 158-

pound division of the Central

Missouri Invitational. At the 180-pound class, freshman Aaron Newman, who has tallied a 3-1 dual record and one first-place and one second-place in tournament action, Newman won the Central Missouri Invitational at 150 pounds in the Illinois tourney.

Senior Charles Scott wrestles at heavyweight for the Cougars, and he holds an even dual record of 2-2. He did not place in the tourneys. Joe Glaser, a freshman at 190 pounds, has a 1-3 dual record and fourth-place finishes in the Illinois and Central Missouri tourneys. Brett Meacham, 184 pounds, for the Cougars, placed third in three tournaments but failed to win any of his dual meets. Meacham placed in the St. Louis Open and in the Illinois and Central Missouri invitational.

Napier has not competed on the dual level for the Cougars yet this year, but he took second place in the 158-pound division of the Central Missouri Invitational. Shelton, 167-pounds, only

wrestled one dual before he was hurt. He lost to EIU. Junior Norm Mitchell, 170-pounds, lost all four of his dual meets but placed in two tournaments. He took second and third at the Central Missouri tourney and the Illinois Invitational, respectively.

At 134-pounds for SIUE, Junior Joe Spence has an 0-2 record. But the Cougars still have 10 more duals and 3 more tournaments prior to the NCAA tourney.

Three of the five tournaments that the Cougars have participated in were open. Anyone could attend, including more than one wrestler from a team in any weight class.

Other SIUE grapplers to do so and place are: Mike Steiner, 118-pounds, fourth place at the Great Plains Free Style Open (Nov. 9-10 in Lincoln, Neb.) and first place at the Southern Open; Tim Printz, heavyweight, fourth place at the St. Louis Open and fourth at the Southern Open; and Dave Stewart, 118-pounds, third at the Southern Open.

Coming up on the Cougars' schedule is the Midlands Tournament in Evansville, Ill., Dec. 28-29, to be followed by the University of Kentucky on Jan. 5, at Lexington, Ky.

SIUE's first home meet is scheduled Thursday, Jan. 31, against the University of Indiana, at 7 p.m.

South by one again

GRANITE CITY — The Granite City South Warriors continue to lead the Belleville West Warriors in this week's Press-Record wrestling poll. But a lead that shrank to two points last week, dwindled to a single point this time.

Area coaches gave South three of the five first place votes, while West received two.

Neither received any vote lower than second. The result was a 48-47 lead by South.

Granite City North's Steelers finished fourth with 37 points, just two behind of third place Cahokia.

The top four spots remained unchanged. Roxana and Belleville East changed positions, as East moved up from sixth to fifth, and Roxana dropped down a notch.

Beyond that the order was much the same as last week.

Points are awarded in the poll on a descending basis (10 for a first place vote, nine for second, eight for third, seven for fourth, etc.). The poll is conducted weekly by the Press-Record.

Five area coaches serve as the panel of judges. They are: Walt Whitaker of Granite City North, Bill Schmidt of Granite City South, John Wehmer of Belleville West, Russ Baum of Cahokia and Larry Millazzo of Roxana.

PRESS-RECORD WRESTLING POLL

(Indicate votes in parentheses)

Team	pts.
1. GRANITE CITY SOUTH (1)	48
2. Belleville West (3)	47
3. Cahokia (2)	39
4. GRANITE CITY NORTH (2)	37
5. Belleville East (2)	37
6. Roxana (2)	25
7. Mascoutah (1)	20
8. O'Fallon (1)	19
9. East St. Louis (1)	18
10. Bethalto, East St. Louis (1)	8

Others receiving votes were: Edwardsville, Alhaff and Alton.

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Eastern looking for athletic director

CHARLESTON — Eastern Illinois University is conducting a nationwide search for an athletic director to succeed Mike Mullally who recently accepted a similar position at Cal-Fullerton, President Daniel E. Marvin, Jr. said today. Marvin announced that he is establishing a "two-tier screening and search process" to find Mullally's replacement.

"Our goal is to implement the search as quickly as possible while at the same time providing means for appropriate input from the campus and the community," said Marvin.

Marvin said the "two-tier" process will involve a seven-member screening committee of knowledgeable personnel to review applications and to recommend to him candidates for invitation to the campus.

The second "tier" will include interviews with the candidates by the screening committee, the coaching staffs, a group representing the campus at large, and another including alumni and community representatives.

"The success of Eastern's athletic program has made a significant contribution to both the University and the Central Illinois area in the past few years, and we are approaching this search as an important item of business," said Marvin.

Dr. Jimmie Franklin, Professor of history and faculty representative of athletics, will head the seven-person of

Mathematics and Faculty Co-Chairman of the Intercollegiate Athletic Board; James KBorschel, Student Co-Chairman of the IAH; Joan Schmidt, Associate Director of Athletics; Bill Houlihan, Student Body President; and one representative each to be elected by the men's and women's coaching staffs.

Marvin said preliminary steps involving the administrative arrangements for the two vacancies were already underway. He also described the administrative arrangements for intercollegiate athletics until a new director is named.

He said Ron Paap, Assistant Director of Athletics, will be responsible for men's athletics, with Joan Schmidt, Associate Director of Athletics, assuming responsibility for the women's program. Franklin will serve as liaison between the two directors and the President's Office.

The 12-member campus-wide interview committee will include three faculty to be named by the Faculty Senate; three students to be selected by the Student Senate; one staff member each from the areas of Housing, Student Activities, and University Relations, and Alumni Services; and three persons appointed by the President.

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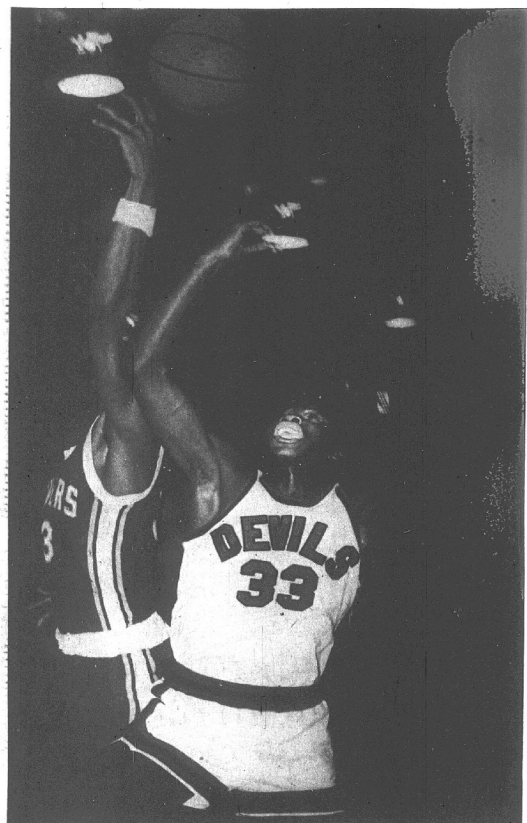
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KEVIN WIGFALL of Venice goes up for a rebound with Assumption's Gerald Stevenson in Tuesday night's game between the two schools. Stevenson was outstanding as he scored 24 points and led both teams in rebounds.

(Photo by Ed Seiler)

Venice

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defending the long shots — it was obvious that was the only choice the Red Devils had.

And offensively, the Pioneers looked liked someone had lubricated a well-designed, but rusty mechanism.

In a word, they clicked.

"I love to see teamwork," Assumption coach Lou Gregory said. "And tonight,

that's what I saw. Our players were unselfish, they're attitude is really starting to come around.

"Each of our players is a unique individual, but I sure don't mind seeing them giving the ball up to someone who has a better shot."

And to Venice's woe, alas, that's the way it worked.

When Carter was confronted with an obstacle in his path, swoosh, over the ball went to Stevenson or out to Fred

Howard.

And when one of those

likewise saw trouble ahead,

swoosh again, in to Stevenson. Two points.

"We were intimidated by their size," Perkins said.

"We tried to make adjustments for it but it didn't help. I guess there were spots we could have scored from, but we didn't go to those spots."

One definite improvement

the Devils might have made would have been to insert

Donald Gardner, who is the cog around which Venice

turns.

But Gardner sat quietly

next to Perkins on the Venice

bench all night. He was

dressed in street clothes as a

result of injuries he had

received in a car accident.

"Donald just holds us

together," Perkins said.

VENICE 46, ASSUMPTION 78

VENICE (46): A. Gardner 18, Milton 9, Wigfall 8, Kevin Roberts 6, Cox 4, Williams 1. Totals 29-14.

ASSUMPTION (78): Stevenson 24, Carter 22, Howard 14, Johnson 8, Fields 4, Gines 2, White 2, Dale 2. Totals 33-12.

VENICE.....12 8 11 15-46

Assumption.....19 19 18 22-78

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Steel, financial giants' merger will help achieve diversification

United Financial Corporation of California was the nation's seventh largest publicly held savings and loan holding company prior to the present merger with National Steel Corporation. It is the parent of Citizens Savings and Loan Association, which has 85 authorized branches located throughout California.

National Steel owns Granite City Steel. "It is gratifying to report final approval of our merger plan—bringing with it the prospect of improved earnings for National Steel," commented George A. Stinson, chairman of the nation's third largest steel producer. Final approval was granted Dec. 13 by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

"With approximately 93 percent of National Steel's sales derived from steel products (the rest is mostly aluminum), the addition of United Financial will help protect our company and our stockholders from the inherent cyclicality of the steel industry."

"This is all the more important since we continue to invest heavily in our metals operations," Stinson said. "This year, for instance, we will spend more capital dollars on our metals business than the estimated net cash flow from our entire corporation's operations in 1979."

"This is a continuation of our pattern over the last five years, during which we spent \$1,000,000,000 on steel, with a net total cash flow of about \$800 million, and the balance above cash flow met from borrowings."

"The acquisition of United Financial is by no means a diversion of earnings or cash flow away from our steel business."

"But it should contribute

to the overall corporate health of National Steel by broadening its base, helping to stabilize its profitability, and increasing overall earnings per share.

"Discretionary diversification funds will be used for the acquisition of United Financial, which is neither capital-intensive nor labor-intensive—and has none of the environmental problems we face in the steel industry," Stinson noted. The National Steel chairman said United Financial will now become a wholly owned subsidiary of National Steel.

He added that it will continue to operate as a "free-standing entity" in California with its own board of directors, which will include some representation from National Steel.

"No changes in the present management personnel of United Financial are contemplated," Stinson said. "The excellent management team at United Financial, headed by Anthony M. Frank, is one of the important assets we are acquiring in this merger."

"Presently, the high level of interest rates has temporarily slowed the inflow of savings to the industry. We expect this situation to continue into 1980, after which we anticipate declining interest rates and a resumption of savings inflow and earnings growth."

"As it is, United Financial has done comparatively well during the current period of high interest rates, as evidenced by its recent third quarter and nine months' earnings report," said the National Steel chairman.

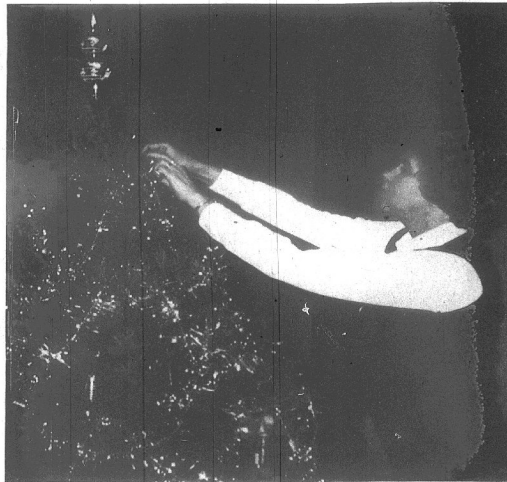
United Financial announced earnings of \$7.8 million, or \$1.07 per share, for the three months ended Sept. 30, 1979, compared to \$7.6 million, or \$1.04 per share, reported for the similar period last year. For the first nine months of 1979, the financial firm's earnings were \$20.6 million, or \$2.84 per share, compared to \$21.5 million, or \$2.93 per share, posted during the first nine months of 1978.

As of Sept. 30, 1979, United Financial's total assets were \$2.7 billion, compared to \$2.5 billion a year earlier.

Exchange agent for the stock purchase will be Citibank, N.A., New York. Total cost of the transaction, including the cost of shares purchased earlier by National Steel, is \$238 million.

A cash consideration of \$32.60 per share will be paid to United Financial shareholders, who number about 31,000.

The price is equivalent to \$42 per share applicable to the outstanding stock before a 5-for-4 stock split in the form of a stock dividend paid in March.



SPARKLING LIGHTS, colorful ornaments and bows bedeck the "old fashioned" Christmas tree in the offices of the Granite City Police Station. Putting finishing touches on the traditional-style tree is Mrs. Nadine Harrison, secretary to Police Chief Ronald J. Veizer. A smaller tree also brightens the lobby area at the new headquarters building.

Black mayors back Carter

Black mayors have endorsed President Carter and Vice President Walter Mondale for re-election. The Illinois Chapter of the National Conference of Black Mayors held its quarterly meeting Saturday in Springfield.

Main item on the agenda was endorsement of Democratic candidates for the 1980 elections. The mayors settled on two endorsements by general consensus. The Carter-Mondale ticket was backed for re-election as well as Illinois Secretary of State Alan Dixon, who is running for the Senate seat being vacated by Adlai Stevenson III.

In addition to the political endorsements, the mayors discussed selection of delegates to the National Conference of Black Mayors, the status of the Illinois Municipal League, and the U.S. Labor Department found.

Job injuries

About one in every 11 workers, on the average, in the private sector of the economy experienced a job-related injury or illness in 1978, the U.S. Labor Department found.

Rhythm Band hosts party

The Granite City Chapter 331 of the American Association of Retired Persons enjoyed a dinner dance last week at the Granite City Township Building. The members and guests were seated by members of the Rhythm Band, who served as hostesses. The punch bowl was also served by the band.

After the Lord's Prayer and pledge of allegiance were led by Charles Kelly, President Helen Bergfield introduced the special guests, Township Supervisor Nelson Hagmann and his wife, Mayor Paul Schuler, Granite City Housing Executive Director David Morgan and his wife, Mary Brewer and Lillian Crawford, both of the township office.

A buffet dinner was served to over 250 members and guests. Band members serving as hostesses were Verna Law, Dolores Klesh, Pauline Cox, Elma Hoover, Frances Jones, Clara Schilling, Julia Mainor, Evelyn Blatner, Irene Kadane, Ruby Corbitt and Helen Bergfield. The chapter made a large donation toward the purchase of a Christmas tree.

The Rhythm Band gathered in the front of the hall and summoned President Bergfield to stand in the circle while they serenaded her on the occasion of her birthday. Dance music was furnished by the Musicians Performance Trust Fund through the Musicians Union 717. The special events committee members who planned the party were Helen Bertsch, Vi and Art Lindner, Pauline and Cleveland Cox, Caroline Lux and Clyde Myers.

Democratic officials to convene March 1

Illion 80, described as the first statewide Democratic convention to determine the presidential choice of Democratic county officials in Illinois, will be held on March 1, 1980. The convention will begin at 12 noon in the ballroom of the Ramada Inn, Highland, Ill. Sponsored by the Lake County Democratic Party and the Young Democrats of Lake County, Illion will provide a forum for Democratic county leaders in the state. President Jimmy Carter, Senator Edward Kennedy and Governor Jerry Brown will be invited to address the convention.

"Through the expression of positive dialogue, Illion 80 will promote party unity and a greater understanding of the issues as they affect Illinois and the nation," a spokesman said.

Other events will include issue seminars and presentations by U.S. senatorial candidates from Illinois. Coordinator is Mark D. Bogen, 1195 Oxford Court, Highland Park 60055, (312-433-3721).

Darnell seeks Democratic Congressional nomination

An Edwardsville man has filed for the Democratic nomination for U.S. representative from the 23rd Congressional District.

Victor L. Darnell, 40, a native Granite Cityan, will enter the March 18 primary. He is a sociology instructor at Belleville Area College. "We need a new approach," he said. "We can't solve today's problems with yesterday's solutions."

"Congress has been lax," he added. "We need representatives with courage to speak out for everyday citizens."

"Congress has done nothing about inflation. It has failed to decrease deficit spending. It has failed to adequately tax windfall oil profits."

"It has failed to legislate for low-cost energy alternatives," said Darnell. "The cost of living has gone sky high. The only solution this Congress offered was to vote itself a pay raise."

"Too many of us have been frustrated too long. We need positive leadership so that the people can have hope again. That's what I offer," he said.

"I offer a realistic alternative to the same old names and same old faces that have dominated Illinois politics for years."



VICTOR DARNELL

Darnell lives with his wife and daughter at 459 Cass Ave., Edwardsville.

A lifelong resident of Madison County, he holds a master's degree from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. He attended Webster School, Central Junior High and Granite City High School.

Darnell is a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps. Prior to teaching, he was head of the Economic Opportunity Commission in Madison County.

Clinic fighting social diseases

In striving to keep with its high standard of medical care in the local area, St. Elizabeth Medical Center is offering numerous programs to assure the good health and well being of the community.

One such program is the St. Elizabeth Medical Center Venereal Disease Clinic. The clinic is free of charge to all and is located in the St. Elizabeth Emergency Room.

It is open daily from 3 to 4:30, excluding holidays, and from 9 to 10 on Sunday mornings.

The clinic's physician, Dr. Jacob Cohen, M.D., said the clinic is completely confidential to all who wish to receive medical treatment and has no geographic limitations.

The clinic is designed for diagnosis and treatment of all forms of venereal disease and is one of the few clinics in the Illinois metropolitan area devoted solely to the diagnosis and treatment of venereal diseases.

All patients of the clinic are held in complete confidence. Information of their treatment by the clinic is not released to anyone without the patient's permission.

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GREAT DAY IN BETHLEHEM, a Christmas musical given by children at St. Margaret Mary Catholic School, was presented last week for parents, friends and parishoners. Pictured are, first row from left, Laura James as Mary; Heather Mell as the baby Jesus; left Seiz as Jesus, age 6; and Holly Lambert as Joseph. Second row from left, angels Christine Finks, Camille Rixie, Christine Loyet and Theresa Guth. Sixth, seventh and eighth graders performed in the musical.

City opposes tall fence

A complaint has been filed by the City of Granite City against James L. Miller, 2102 Bryan Ave., charging him with being in violation of section one of ordinance 2831 which regulates the types and heights of fences constructed within the city.

The maximum for fences on side property lines is three feet and on the back property line the ordinance allows fences up to four and one-half feet.

The fence in question is believed to be more than 10 feet tall and is made of corrugated steel. It is situated on a side property line between the Miller home and the adjacent house and yard.

A photo of the fence was published on the front page of the Monday, Dec. 17, issue of the Press-Record.

The city complaint was filed with the Third Judicial Circuit Court on Friday, Dec. 14.

Prior to the complaint being filed, a letter was sent to Miller by Building Inspector Anthony Rusick, dated Nov. 30.

The letter stated, "You are hereby notified that said fence must be removed within 10 days of receipt of this letter or I will be forced to file a court case to enforce compliance with Ordinance 2831."

The letter also asked Miller to notify the building inspector of his intentions. To date, no correspondence has been received by the inspector's office nor has a telephone call been received, city officials contend.

Making cents
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Wiley to lead search

For the second time in less than four years, W. Deane Wiley, professor of educational administration at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, will head up a search committee for president of the university.

The Presidential Search Committee named last week by SIU Chancellor Kenneth A. Shaw met Monday for orientation and organization and elected Wiley, one of five representatives from the Faculty Senate on the 12-person committee, to serve as chairman.

A former dean of the School of Education, he headed the search for a president in 1976, resulting in the selection of Dr. Shaw by the Board of Trustees. With the change in governance in the SIU system this year, Dr. Shaw was named chancellor of the system, and Earl Lazerson, vice president and provost at SIUE, became acting president until a permanent appointment is made by the board.

Wiley announced today that the first meeting of the search committee is set for Thursday, Dec. 27, 1:30 p.m. in the chancellor's conference room. He said all meetings of the committee except personnel sessions will be open to the public.

Development of operating papers and a prospectus will be the principal items on the agenda for the first meeting. Both items will be subject to ratification by the chancellor.

Wiley said frequent meetings will be necessary and he hopes the work of the committee can be concluded by the latter part of the spring quarter, which ends June 7.

The committee is to submit the names of at least three candidates to the chancellor, who will recommend a single person from the list to the Board of Trustees for appointment as president of SIUE.

Wiley has had experience with other search committees as well as the presidential searches at the university. He was the chief consultant for the state's first appointive superintendent of schools in 1974 while serving as interim executive director of the new State Board of Education.

The latter service was performed while Wiley was on sabbatical leave from the university, where he had been dean for seven years. He formerly was deputy head of the division of educational administration and supervision at New York University.

Fleeing auto halted by wall

Nicholas S. Stanley, 22, of 226 Altan Ave., Madison, was arrested at 10:35 p.m. Monday when his vehicle became jammed between a house and a grocery store while being pursued by police.

An officer alleged seeing Stanley's 1975 auto, southbound on Madison Avenue, go through a red traffic light at Niedringhaus Avenue and he began pursuing the auto. The driver allegedly swerved from lane to lane, almost striking another southbound vehicle, and then turned left into a lot at 2016 Madison Ave. and north into an alley at the rear of a store.

At that point, the officer said, the motorist attempted to drive the car between the food store and a residence at 2020 Madison Ave., but it became jammed between a set of concrete steps attached to the dwelling and the store wall.

Stanley was taken into custody. An empty wine bottle and several empty beer cans allegedly were in the auto.

Stanley was charged with reckless driving, fleeing from and attempting to elude a police officer, transportation of alcohol, disobeying a traffic control device, not having a valid registration, and improper lighting (one headlamp).

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FIVE GENERATIONS of the Vesce family are pictured. Seated from the left are great-grandfather Anthony Vesce Sr. holding Christina Lee Rose Hecht, and great-grandmother Maria Vesce. Standing are the baby's mother, Bonnie Beth Rose Hecht, and her mother, Janet Rose (Vesce) Taylor.

Junior high racquetball

The Tri-City Area YMCA has announced that a Saturday morning racquetball league for junior high school students in the Quad-City area will begin on Saturday, Jan. 5.

Two separate leagues will play between 8 a.m. and noon.

A boys' league will see action between 10 a.m. and noon, and the girls will play between 8 and 10 a.m.

A limit of 12 people per league has been set. The first two weeks of each league will consist of instruction in the game, and the remaining 11 weeks will consist of singles competition.

To be eligible for this league, all participants must be junior high school students. The fee for this league is \$35 per person.

To enroll, students are to pre-pay at the "Y" by Jan. 3.

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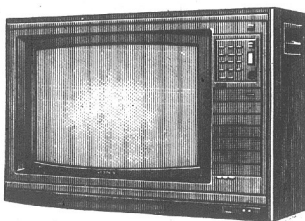
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35 marriages dissolved

Thirty-five Quad-City area couples have had their marriages dissolved in Madison County Circuit Court. Dissolution of marriage judgments, with the husbands named first, were granted to:

Harold E. Hokenson of Granite City and Loretta Hokenson of Godfrey. They were married Sept. 9, 1967. Vernon Cox Jr. and Christine L. Cox (Lewis), both of Granite City.

John W. Barks of Edwardsville and Vergie M. Barks (Hensley), of Granite City. They were married Jan. 9, 1973.

Jessie James Reeves of Mobile, Ala., and Adele Reeves (Clay), of Granite City. They were married June 23, 1973.

Russell Edward Mahoney of Alton and Shirley Lucinda Mahoney (Rice) of Granite City. They were married June 3, 1967.

Ben Andrew Gordon of East St. Louis and Gail Inez Gordon (Dandridge) of Madison. They were married Sept. 3, 1972.

Hansel Oscar Morgan of Alton and Shelby Jean Morgan (Hood) of Granite City. They were married Nov. 3, 1963.

Terry L. Harris and Linda Marie Harris (Hart), both of Granite City. They were married Jan. 21, 1978.

Gary Wayne Laird of Granite City and Frankie Jean Laird (White) of Smith Roxana. They were married Dec. 9, 1966.

Eugene Hall Jr. of Cleveland, Miss., and Dora L. Hall (Lewis) of Madison. They were married May 14, 1971.

Frederick Macklin of East St. Louis and Beverly Jean Macklin (Cross) of Venice. They were married Dec. 22, 1978.

Lawrence Edward Anthony Lingle of Chicago and Grace Lavern Lingle (Barron) of Granite City. They were married Feb. 24, 1978.

Richard Lee Kutz and Jacqueline Darlene Kutz (Thompson), both of Granite City. They were married Oct. 11, 1969.

Harold V. White of Hartshorn, Mo., and Linda L. White (Parcel) of Granite City. They were married March 28, 1978.

Dennis Pigg and Vickie L. Pigg (Parrott), both of Granite City. They were married Feb. 11, 1977.

Robert Lee Moberg and Mary Sudonna Mayberry (Edwards), both of Granite City. They were married April 15, 1979.

Armanda Julian Martinez and Julia R. Martinez (Rojero), both of Madison. They were married March 9, 1978.

Charles Hawkins of Desloge, Mo., and Betty Mae Hawkins (Ryffelt) of Granite City. They were married Sept. 22, 1979.

Stephen James Hoepker and Jennifer Marie Hoepker

(Clark), both of Granite City. They were married May 31, 1979.

Charles William Voloski of Madison and Laurie Voloski (Morman) of Granite City. They were married Sept. 26, 1978.

John Dale Hand of Madison and Barbara June Hand (Cross) of Granite City. They were married July 21, 1979.

Robert Jeffery Huebner and Kathleen Ann Huebner (Krekovich), both of Granite City. They were married June 10, 1978.

Cecil Tomlin and Rose Marie Tomlin (Webb), both of Granite City. They were married July 7, 1978.

Frankie Ray Odam of Wilsonville, Ill., and Gulema Marie Odam (Rodgers) of Granite City. They were married Oct. 1, 1973.

Danny Clay Hutchison of Hickman, Ky., and Sandra Lynn Hutchison (Angle) of Granite City. They were married Feb. 4, 1978.

Eddie Ray Anderson and Tammy Lynn Anderson (Walkup), both of Granite City. They were married Sept. 24, 1977.

Frank Arth of O'Fallon, Ill., and Deborah Arth (Presley) of Granite City. They were married Nov. 12, 1978.

Michael Joseph Loftus and Sheila Kaye Loftus (Lewis), both of Granite City. They were married Nov. 27, 1978.

Joseph L. Easley and Joann Easley (Green), both of Granite City. They were married June 6, 1978.

Cecil Andrew Axom of East St. Louis and Kathy Axom of Granite City. They were married Nov. 6, 1974.

Gary Ray Wallace and Teresa Wallace (Reidelberger), both of Venice. They were married Oct. 19, 1975.

Larry M. Lassen of Glen Carbon and Bonnie L. Lassen (Willinith) of Granite City. They were married Aug. 18, 1973.

David Lee Huiak of Granite City and Norma Jean Huiak (Kelly) of Madison. They were married Aug. 29, 1969, subsequently divorced, and were remarried Dec. 29, 1978.

Theodore A. Czajla Jr. of Cahokia and Joyce Czajla (Dillard) of Granite City. They were married Jan. 24, 1974.

First United Pentecostal Church will practice basketball at school gymnasiums from January to March.

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Kim Turner in Who's Who

A Granite Cityan at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will be listed in the 1980 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American University and Colleges. Kim Turner, 2427 Waterman Ave., has been selected for the 1980 edition of Who's Who.

A graduate of Granite City High School North, she currently is completing her senior and final year as a pre-medical student at SIUE. She anticipates receiving her bachelor degree in biology in June 1980.

Students are nominated on the basis of academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for the future. Nominees must be juniors or seniors and must be currently enrolled.

The directory includes students from more than 1,200 institutions of higher learning in the U.S. and several foreign nations. The annual listing has been published since 1934.

The North Band Parents Association will use the Memorial Auditorium for a family oriented fund-raising event on March 22.

The special education panel had:

Approved the hiring of Beth Marshall as occupational therapist, on a contractual basis, at the rate of \$14 per hour, six hours daily, for 60 days, not to exceed \$5,040, with the stipulation that Washington University release Region 1 from its contract with the university at \$21.50 per hour.

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PLAQUES OF RECOGNITION for preparation and presentation of the annual Christmas program at Nameoki School are presented by Mrs. June Branding, right, PTA president, following the play Tuesday night. Receiving the plaques, from left, are Ray Bourland, instrumental musical director; Richard Barnett, a fifth grade teacher at Nameoki who composed the program, and Mrs. Mildred Hediger, vocal music director.



SCHERMER GIFT of \$400 to Mrs. Peggy Dayton, shown with Dean Anthony of Schermer's Supermarket, 12th Street and Madison Avenue.

Hiring for special education

The Granite City Board of Education Tuesday night ratified three decisions made at a meeting of the Region 1 Special Education District board Dec. 5.

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'A Christmas Story' presented in Nameoki

Nameoki School presented "A Christmas Story" as its PTA program Tuesday night. Richard Barnett, a fifth grade teacher at Nameoki, wrote and composed the play.

He was assisted in the presentation by Mildred Hediger, director of vocal music, and Ray Bourland, director and arranger of instrumental music.

Marge Salem was in charge of choreography. Lynn McClain and Ellen Wilson, sets and costumes; and William Harris and Robert Pawlik, stage managers. The program was videotaped and the sound was handled by Trebas Sound Production.

The cast: Harry Briggs, boy; Carmen Joyce, girl; David Kaltmayer, father; and Sheila Hand, mother.

Appearing in tableaux were Kelly Mack as Mary, Brian Taylor as Joseph, Lanny Haug, Kurt Liebmman and Mike Stadler as shepherds and Robbie Diller, Dean Mendenhall and Jay Ritchie as wise men.

Band ensemble participants were: clarinets, Linnette Maler, Tracey Meyenburg, Brian Forbes, Diane Kaltmayer and Kelley

Rogers; cornets, Mark Bowen and Mike Ribbs; flutes, Marcia Thomas, Dawn Jesse and Kim Corey; saxophones, Mark Barfield and Freddy Becker; bells, Laura Hileman and Sara Hileman; and piano, David Lane, Brian Forbes and Richard Barnett.

The program included songs, "A Christmas Carol" by the first grade; "Lullaby" by David Fainler, Michelle Sylvester and Linnette Maler; "The Shepherds," sixth grade girls; "The Wise Men," sixth grade boys; "Church Bells," third grade; "Sneaky Santa Claus," second grade, with John Bone as Santa; "Christmas Day," fourth grade; "Snow Princess," fifth grade, with Heather Skubish and Kim Myracle dancing; and "Christmas" by all performers.

After the program, Mrs. June Branding, PTA president, gave plaques of appreciation to Barnett, Mildred Hediger and Bourland.

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Funeral of Mrs. Madosh

Mrs. Margaret Madosh of West Terre Haute, Ind., passed away Dec. 9 at the Terre Haute Hospital, where she was a patient for one day.

She was the wife of Theodore Madosh, and they formerly lived in the Mitchell area for over 33 years.

They attended the Mitchell Presbyterian Church, where she was director of the Church Choir. Her husband was employed while living here at the Shell Oil Co. in Wood River.

Relatives who attended the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Siner, Jerry Siner and daughter, Chris, Billy Siner, Mrs. Jessie Williams and Arthur Knuth.

BUREAUCRATIC GAME ALLEGED BY STATE

Governor James R. Thompson last week appealed to the White House to stop a new Department of Health, Education and Welfare policy that he said will cost Illinois more than \$40 million in federal aid beginning next July 1.

"The HEW plan would achieve a one-time federal saving through the bureaucratic 'shell game' device of delaying payments to the states long enough to roll \$400 million-plus over into another fiscal year," said Thompson. The loss to the state could only be made up at state taxpayer expense or through cuts in essential services, the governor contends.

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9:30 a.m. Coffee Hour/Bible Study
10:45 a.m. "God's Gift of Peace"
7:00 p.m. Candlelight Service

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30th

8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
9:30 a.m. Coffee Hour/Bible Study
10:45 a.m. "God's Gift of Hope"
4:00 P.M. Youth Fellowship

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FLAKED COCONUT 1-lb. Pkg. **1.39**

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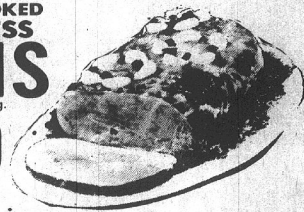
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BOX 15 for **6.95**
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PEARS ... 3 lbs. **99¢**
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LETTUCE 3 lge. hds. **\$1.19**
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Catif. U.S. No. 1 Sweet
POTATOES 4 lbs. **\$1.00**
Wash. State
RED or GOLDEN
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APPLES
2 lbs. **\$1.00**
BOX ... **\$13.95**
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GRAPEFRUIT
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Pecans in the Shell
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LIGHT OR DARK
Bulk Pack **\$1.29**
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Duncan Hines
CAKE MIX 2 Boxes **\$1.49**
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Betty Crocker
PIE CRUST MIX 2 11-oz. Pkgs. **99¢**
WITH SCHERMER'S 47¢ COUPON
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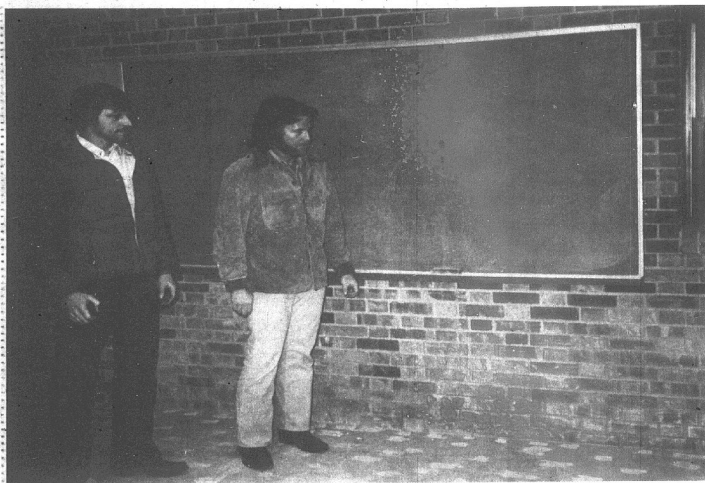
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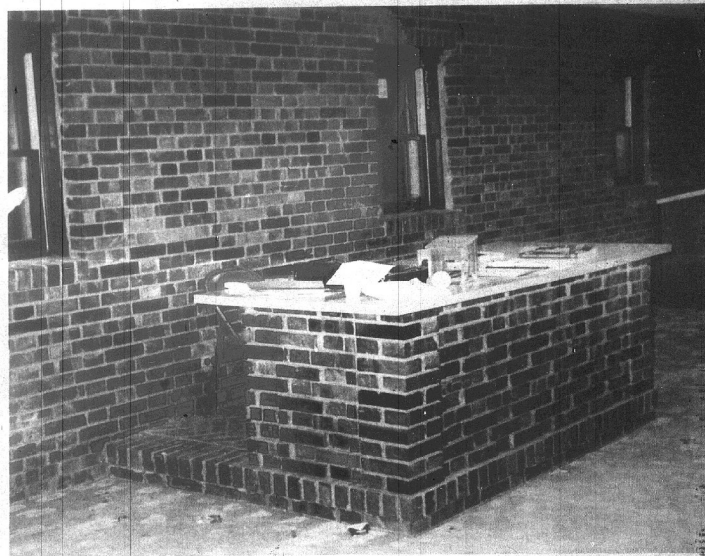
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WITH SCHERMER'S 29¢ COUPON
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Hershey's Semi-Sweet
CHOCOLATE CHIPS 12-oz. Pkg. **\$1.69**
WITH SCHERMER'S 30¢ COUPON
Limit 1 Pkg. with \$2.50 purchase excluding liquor, beer, tobacco and other coupon items. \$22.50 purchase required to use all coupons. Coupon expires Mon., Dec. 24, 1979. N.R.C. L.U. 34



Union, schools cooperating in teaching the time-tested bricklaying skills here

PEOPLE



Four-year apprenticeships in Bricklayers Local 65 of Southwest Illinois involve not only the passage of time but intensive instruction in the varied skills of the craft.

In cooperation with Belleville Area College and the Granite City School District, the Bricklayers union—a part of the American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations—is endeavoring to convey not only minimum standards of proficiency but

also the opportunity to become master craftsmen.

The word "craftsmen" requires a footnote. There not only are male apprentice bricklayers here but also two females in the group.

Aiding substantially in the two-nights-a-week training program is the use of a building that formerly was an unimpressive storage shed on the back parking lot of Granite City

High School South.

As part of their learning process, the apprentices have installed brick over many of the interior wall surfaces and have greatly upgraded the appearance and strength of the structure. A side benefit to the school district is that one of the spacious rooms will become available for such gatherings as South High student council meetings during the day.

In the photograph at top left, Ron Jacobs

and Mike Sues of the apprenticeship board inspect part of the interior of the training building. At top right, Assistant School Supt. Frank Kraus, BAC coordinator in Granite City, and Jack Heflin, one of the bricklaying instructors, view equipment utilized in the building.

The lower left picture shows Warren E. Nieburg admiring a brick fireplace created by the apprentices. Nieburg is dean of BAC

general studies and community services. In the lower right scene is another view of the local training center, including an ornate desk made of—you guessed it—bricks.

Robert "Bob" Weiss is business manager of Local 65 and Rich Jameson is chairman of apprenticeship. Bill Ballard is the chief bricklaying instructor.

Cub scouts receive awards

Cub Scout Pack 22, sponsored by Frohardt School PTA, held an "Awards Night" program at its pack meeting. Den 5 cubs, led by Pam Winn, opened the meeting with the presentation of the colors and the pledge of allegiance.

Cubmaster Jim Colp inducted the new cubs by having the cubs say the Cub Scout Promise. The parents repeated the Parent's Promise. New Den 3 cubs, led by Eleanor Frasier, that were inducted are: Mike Frasier, Richard Harmon, Harold Krohne, Jason McKee, Eric Pomeroy, Steve Toth, Jim Roberson, and new Webelos Jeff Wakeford, led by John Hagen Jr.

Earning their Wolf badges and one year service pin were Den 2 cubs, led by Bonnie Hunter, Mark Hunter and Eric Kuenker. Eric also earned a gold arrow point and three silver arrow points. Den 5 cubs, led by Pam Winn, received their one year service pin and arrow points. David Mompard received one gold and two silver arrow points, and receiving three silver arrow points were: Dennis

Winn Richard Reader, Jerry Wheat Jr., Joey Hinnen and Craig Sykes.

Also receiving their one year service pin were: Den 2 cubs Billy Donaldson, Wilbert Abbott and Aaron Colp.

Committee Chairperson Bernice Schuette, last year Den 3 "Bear" Cub Leader, presented the Bear cubs to Webelos leader John Hagen Jr. Bears graduating into the Webelos Den and receiving their two year service pins were: Mike Schuette Jr., John Hagen III, John Jare, Pat Breese, Jeff Robbers, Greg Talley, Jeff Motes and Jeff Wakeford.

The eight new Webelos were then presented with their athlete, outdoorsman and traveler activity badges. All the cubs closed the meeting by giving the "Grand Yell" to honor the leaders, which also included awards chairman and treasurer Mike Schuette, and Secretary Mary Hagen. Refreshments were served by the parents of Den 2 cubs.

Former residents announce child

Former Granite City residents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Papp, who now reside at 605 Princeway Court, Ballwin, Mo., are announcing the birth of their second child.

The new arrival has been named Jacqueline Marie and weighed 10 pounds. She was born on Dec. 11, at St. John's Mercy Hospital, St. Louis. She has a 10-year old sister, Kathy.

The mother is the former Donna Richardson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richardson. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Struckhoff, all of Granite City.



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GUIDE TO This Week's Movies and Specials

DECEMBER 20, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "Thunder Bay" (1955) James Stewart, Joanne Dru.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Bengal Tiger" (1972) Documentary.
2 "Penny Serenade" (1941) Cary Grant, Irene Dunne.

EVENING

8:00
1 "Lost In The Stars" (1974) Brock Peters, Clifton Davis.
2 "A Countess From Hong Kong" (1967) Marlon Brando, Sophia Loren.
10:30
1 "Moonfire" (1970) Richard Egan, Sonny Liston.
1:30
1 "Plan 9 From Outer Space" (1962) Bela Lugosi, Tor Johnson.
1:55
1 "Romeo And Juliet" (1937) Norma Shearer, Leslie Howard.

DECEMBER 21, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "Steven Alone" (1975) Dewey Martin, Aldo Ray.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "Charity Of The Gods?" (1971) Documentary.
2 "A Countess From Hong Kong" (1967) Marlon Brando, Sophia Loren.
EVENING
7:30
1 "It Happened One Christmas" (1977) Mario Thomas, Wayne Rogers.
11:30
1 "The Fugitive Kind" (1960) Marlon Brando, Anna Magnan.
12:22
1 "The Good Guys And The Bad Guys" (1969) Robert Mitchum, George Kennedy.
1:10
1 "Little Women" (1933) Katharine Hepburn, Joan Bennett.
2:45
1 "Dracula's Castle" (1969) John Garfield, Otto Kruger.

DECEMBER 22, 1979

MORNING

9:30
1 "Blonde Plays Cupid" (1941) Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake.

AFTERNOON

12:00
1 "Abbott And Costello Meet The Killer" (1949) Boris Karloff, Gary Moore.
2 "The Music Box" (1932) Laurel and Hardy.
1:30
1 "The Song Of Bernadette" (1943) Jennifer Jones, Charles Bickford.
2:00
1 "Pope" (1961) Cantinflas, Dan O'Kelly.
3:00
1 "The Song Of Bernadette" (1943) Jennifer Jones, Charles Bickford.
EVENING
10:30
1 "It's A Wonderful Life" (1946) James Stewart, Donna Reed.
2 "Meet Me In St. Louis" (1954) Judy Garland, Tom Drake.
3 "Lost In The Stars" (1974) Brock Peters, Clifton Davis.
4 "The Shadow Of The Cat" (1961) Andre Morell, Barbara Shelley.
12:00
1 "Magic Carpet" (1951) Susan Saint James, Robert Pratt.
12:50
1 "Deep Valley" (1947) Ida Lupino, Dale Clark.
2:55
1 "I Live My Life" (1935) Joan Crawford, Brian Aherne.

DECEMBER 23, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Far Out West" (1967) Ann Sheridan, Ruth McDevitt.

AFTERNOON

12:00
1 "Doctor Dolittle" (1967) Rex Harrison, Samantha Eggar.
2 "The Comic" (1969) Dick Van Dyke, Michele Lee.
1:00
1 "The Miracle Of The Bells" (1948) Frank Sinatra, Lee J. Cobb.
2:00
1 "Angels In Disguise" (1940) Bowery Boys, Mickey Knox.
3:05
1 "Baraboo" (1962) Anthony Quinn, Sherry Jackson.
3:30
1 "The Miracle" (1959) Carroll Baker, Roger Moore.
EVENING
7:00
1 "The Man In The Santa Claus Suit" (Premiere) Fred Astaire, Gary Burghoff.
7:30
1 "Thunderball" (1965) Sean Connery, Claudine Auger.

DECEMBER 24, 1979

MORNING

10:30
1 "Christmas In Connecticut" (1945) Barbara Stanwyck, Dennis Morgan.
2 "Once Upon A Starry Night" (1978) Dan Haggerty, Denver Pyle.
10:45
1 "Three Godfathers" (1949) John Wayne, Ward Bond.
12:50
1 "On Borrowed Time" (1939) Lionel Barrymore, Una Merkel.

DECEMBER 24, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "Hedra" (1977) Shirley Temple, Jean Hershold.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "Mr. Magoo's Favorite Heroes" Animated.
2 "Love And Kisses" (1965) Rick Nelson, Kristin Nelson.

EVENING

7:00
1 "The Gift Of Love" (1978) Marie Diamond, Timothy Bottoms.
10:30
1 "The Christmas Tree" (1969) William Holden, Vina Liu.
11:15
1 "The Bells Of St. Mary's" (1945) Bing Crosby, Ingrid Bergman.
12:20
1 "A Christmas Carol" (1958) Reginald Owen, Gene Lockhart.
1:20
1 "Brother Of The Wind" (1975) Dick Robinson.
2:40
1 "The Shop Around The Corner" (1940) James Stewart, Margaret Sullivan.

DECEMBER 25, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "Christian The Lion" (1976) Bill Travers, Virginia McKenna.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "Hey There, It's Yogi Berra" (1964) Animated. Voices of Julie Bennett, James Darren.
2 "Silent Night, Lonely Night" (1969) Lloyd Bridges, Shirley Jones.

EVENING

8:00
1 "Suddenly, Love" (1978) Cindy Williams, Paul Shenar.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
10:30
1 "Quo Vadis" (1951) Robert Taylor, Deborah Kerr.
2 "Moby Dick" (1956) Gregory Peck, Richard Basehart.
11:45
1 "Nero Wolfe" (1977) David Thayer, Tom Mason.
1:25
1 "Hunters Of The Wild" Documentary.

DECEMBER 26, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Flame And The Arrow" (1950) Burl Ives, Virginia Mayo.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
EVENING
8:00
1 "The Forty-Eight Hour Kid" (1970) Darren McGavin, William Windom.
10:30
1 "Something For Joey" (1977) Geraldine Page, Marc Singer.
2 "The Road To Denver" (1955) John Payne, Mona Freeman.
12:50
1 "Legend Of Cougar Canyon" (1974) Adventure.

DECEMBER 27, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Flame And The Arrow" (1950) Burl Ives, Virginia Mayo.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
EVENING
8:00
1 "The Forty-Eight Hour Kid" (1970) Darren McGavin, William Windom.
10:30
1 "Something For Joey" (1977) Geraldine Page, Marc Singer.
2 "The Road To Denver" (1955) John Payne, Mona Freeman.
12:50
1 "Legend Of Cougar Canyon" (1974) Adventure.

DECEMBER 28, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Flame And The Arrow" (1950) Burl Ives, Virginia Mayo.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
EVENING
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1 "The Forty-Eight Hour Kid" (1970) Darren McGavin, William Windom.
10:30
1 "Something For Joey" (1977) Geraldine Page, Marc Singer.
2 "The Road To Denver" (1955) John Payne, Mona Freeman.
12:50
1 "Legend Of Cougar Canyon" (1974) Adventure.

DECEMBER 29, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Flame And The Arrow" (1950) Burl Ives, Virginia Mayo.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
EVENING
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1 "Something For Joey" (1977) Geraldine Page, Marc Singer.
2 "The Road To Denver" (1955) John Payne, Mona Freeman.
12:50
1 "Legend Of Cougar Canyon" (1974) Adventure.

DECEMBER 30, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Flame And The Arrow" (1950) Burl Ives, Virginia Mayo.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
EVENING
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1 "The Forty-Eight Hour Kid" (1970) Darren McGavin, William Windom.
10:30
1 "Something For Joey" (1977) Geraldine Page, Marc Singer.
2 "The Road To Denver" (1955) John Payne, Mona Freeman.
12:50
1 "Legend Of Cougar Canyon" (1974) Adventure.

DECEMBER 31, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

AFTERNOON

12:30
1 "The Flame And The Arrow" (1950) Burl Ives, Virginia Mayo.
2 "Never Too Late" (1965) Connie Stevens, Maureen O'Sullivan.
EVENING
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2 "The Road To Denver" (1955) John Payne, Mona Freeman.
12:50
1 "Legend Of Cougar Canyon" (1974) Adventure.

DECEMBER 31, 1979

MORNING

10:00
1 "The Court Jester" (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns.

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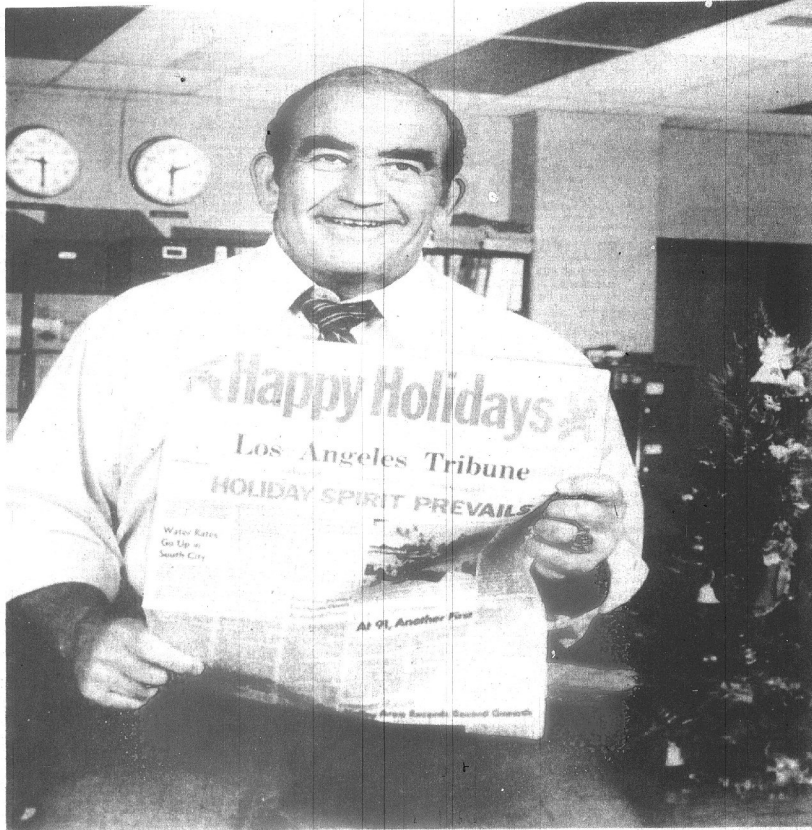
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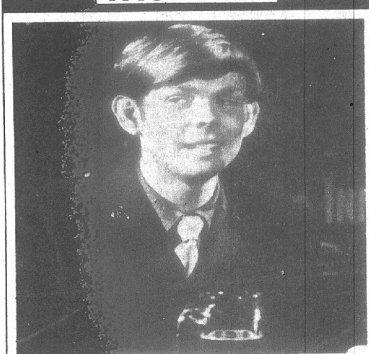
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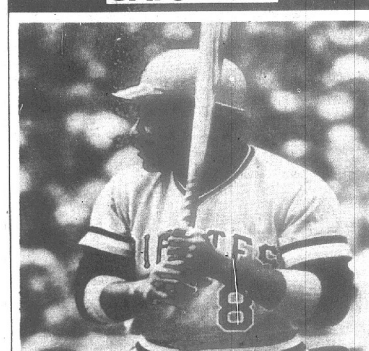
City Editor Lou Grant, played by series star Ed Asner, wishes everyone a joyous holiday season with a special edition of the fictitious Los Angeles Tribune. The "Lou Grant" series is broadcast on Mondays on CBS.

THURSDAY



As World War II rumbles around his life, Jason Walton (Jon Walmsley) keeps up the Christmas spirit by conducting a sing-along at the Dew-Drop Inn, on "The Waltons," Thursday, Dec. 20, on CBS.

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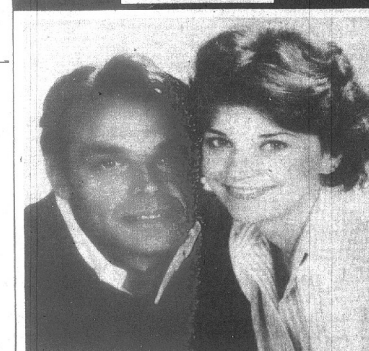
Willie Stargell, who propelled the Pittsburgh Pirates to victory in the 1979 World Series, is one of many prominent sports figures featured on "SportsYear '79: The Year of the Champion," airing Saturday, Dec. 22 on NBC.

FRIDAY



"Benji's Very Own Christmas Story" stars the most famous furry friend since Lassie in a celebration of the holiday season. To be presented on Friday, Dec. 21.

TUESDAY



Paul Shenar stars as a socially prominent lawyer, and Cindy Williams ("Laverne and Shirley") portrays the young woman from the ghetto he marries in "Suddenly, Love," on NBC, Tuesday, Dec. 25.

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Christmas party for area children

The Women's Division of the Granite City Area Chamber of Commerce held its annual Christmas party for area children Saturday at the Moose Hall. A luncheon was served to the 29 guests.

Mrs. Beverly Partney was chairman of the event. Mrs. Billie Schuler, executive director of the Granite City High School South Acting Club, which entertained the children with Christmas skills.

Entertainers included Beth Callis, Mary Cavins, Cindy Barker, Maria Boyce, Judy Evans, Janet Fox, Gail Hudson, Donna Headrick, Liz Gain, Kim McGonia, Barb Franch, Theresa Anderson, Mike Schmidt and Belinda Youngkin.

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Moral redemption part of the Christmas spirit

By M. ALAN STERN
Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" is "a story of the death and rebirth of a soul," writes a professor at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

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"Dickens wasn't only revolting against the economic pattern of the Victorian age," she explains. "He was against the spiritual pattern as well."

"He was not a socialist or communist. He believed that poverty and other social injustices could only occur because those in power had allowed their moral sensibilities to decay to the point that they misuse their power and rationalize their inhumanity."

Professor Love, whose father was a Presbyterian minister, is a soft-spoken woman with a Southern accent. She calls her interest in Dickens "more humanitarian than religious."

"I was told by reliable sources when I was in Africa

that some of the missionaries eat all the food, and then have cooks bury the rest of the food. That is a sin, and Dickens would have recognized it as such," she asserts.

She believes that Dickens would also have ridiculed those who today blame the victim of social problems for the problems themselves, or who propose patronizing or unrealistic solutions to problems like poverty.

During a tour of the United States in the mid 1800s, Dickens saw a camp in the Midwest designed as a settlement for the poor.

The crowded, squalid conditions there formed the basis for his fictional portrayal of such a camp, Eden, U.S.A., in his novel "Martin Chuzzlewit."

The book satirized the pretensions of British politicians who thought all of Britain's poor ought to emigrate to America. "Dickens would have recognized our modern conception of immovable liberal," Professor Love comments. "In his day, charity committees were formed and spent a great deal of time deciding which poor people were 'honest enough' to receive threepenny loaves for a daily ration of bread."

The professor also writes

Daytime Programs

MORNING

6:30 NEWS (TUE-FRI)

6:45 THE PEOPLE SPEAK (TUE-FRI)

6:50 ROMPER ROOM (MON, WED-FRI)

7:00 MR. MAGOO'S CHRISTMAS CAROL (TUE)

7:15 JEFF'S COOL (MON, WED-FRI)

7:30 SUNRISE SEMESTER (MON, WED-FRI)

7:45 THE LOSE RANGER (MON, WED-FRI)

8:00 A.M. WEATHER (TUE-FRI)

8:15 GOOD MORNING AMERICA (TUE-FRI)

8:30 TODAY (TUE-FRI)

8:45 THE BEAUTIFUL MACHINE (TUE-FRI)

8:55 BUSS BARRY AND FRIENDS (TUE-FRI)

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Vigilance needed now, police say

The Madison police have, for the holidays, increased patrols. They have unmarked cars in the area to help curb the traditionally high rate of burglaries that occur nationally during the Christmas season.

Chief Donald L. Bridick is asking that citizens continue to "help their neighbors" by keeping a watch for any strangers in the area.

"We would like for people just simply to be alert for strangers. If they see anyone they don't feel belongs in a neighbor's back yard, the alley or even on the public sidewalks, call us."

"We would rather check out 100 calls, than let even one minor burglary occur," Chief Bridick said.

He added that if a strange person or car is sighted, it would help if the person calling would give police a simple description, such as the color of the auto or color of a jacket, male or female, race, and teen or adult.

Christmas presents—wrapped or, after Christmas, unwrapped—should not be near a window in plain sight.

Bridick suggested that people leaving their homes should, particularly during the holiday season, let their neighbors know they will be gone and for about how long they will be away from their homes.

Although Bridick feels people should be alert to what is going on around their houses at all times, it is of particular importance during and immediately after the Christmas season, he emphasized.



CAKE SANTA CLAUS with creator Charles Ronald Kinworthy, a baker at Seibold's Bakery, where the holiday character is on display at 2241 Madison Ave. Kinworthy, who has 11 years of experience as a baker, used 40 pounds of cake batter, 15 pounds of frosting and 40 hours of work to complete the exhibit. The Santa is not for sale and may be viewed at the store through the Christmas holidays.

Long Lake fire department party

The annual Christmas dinner party of the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Maryville.

In addition to firemen and their wives, present were retired firemen: Past President and Mrs. Earl Phelps, Robert Flynn and Willard Orum, now residents of Bunker Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jahnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kubelka, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Zenik and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Snider.

Other guests were Long Lake Fire District trustees Harry Briggs and Arthur Theis and their wives, and Mrs. Irene Karlechik.

Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Polley and Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman.

Along with many gifts distributed, a special gift was presented by the junior volunteer firemen to Captain Michael Karlechik, who is in charge of the junior department.

The Mitchell department was on standby duty for the Long Lake department during the party.

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Ill. voter registration to spotlight high schools

The State Board of Education and the State Board of Elections on Tuesday announced plans for a joint voter registration campaign next spring in the Illinois high schools.

The campaign will be aimed at registering 18-year-olds—and those 17-year-olds who will be 18 by election day in November 1980. In a joint statement, Dr. Joseph M. Cronin, state superintendent of education, and State Board of Elections Chairman Michael J. Hamblet said:

"Statistics show that young people have the lowest voter registration profile among all age groups.

"We want to make young Illinoisans aware of the importance of voting, and get them registered to qualify for participation in election process.

"This program will provide them the chance to register right in their own schools, where they are studying government and civics. If we wait until they graduate before encouraging registration, we will be missing a golden opportunity to link voter participation with learning about government in the classroom.

"Registration, by itself, does not increase voter

turnout. But a person cannot vote until registered. So, the first step toward greater participation at the polls is to foster voter awareness and make it easy to register. We hope this will pay dividends on election day."

Dr. Cronin and Hamblet pointed out that the state's 102 county clerks, who are responsible for conducting voter registration, are being asked to cooperate in the registration campaign.

The clerks and their assistants will visit the high schools during May to register as many potential voters as possible.

They noted that although one must be 18 years old to vote, registration is allowed at 17 if the person is 18 by the day of the election (Nov. 4, 1980).

The joint campaign headed by the Boards of Education and Elections, according to Dr. Cronin and Hamblet, will include the following steps:

—Production of a film that will be available to county clerks and high school principals for use at student assemblies during May. The film, produced by the two agencies, will explain the qualifications and procedures for registering and voting in Illinois.

—A proclamation by the

governor declaring May 1980 to be Voter Registration Month, with emphasis on registering young people but also urging registration by all adult citizens.

—A registration drive in May. County election authorities will visit schools and conduct registration. Normally, this will occur following assemblies where students view the film and listen to outside speakers, such as county clerks.

The two officials concluded:

"One of the key tenets of good citizenship is the exercise of our precious voting privilege to elect those who represent us in public office.

"We hope this registration drive next spring will encourage greater participation in the Illinois election process by young and old alike."

1968 AUTO TAKEN
Kenneth Davis, 3801 Lake Drive, reported at 8:45 p.m. Monday that his 1968 black over light brown Pontiac sedan was taken from the 2700 block of W. 20th Street.



Matthew 1:21 ... "And she shall bring forth a Son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins."

This is the time of the year to once again remember how very much God loves us. Regardless of whether we believe it or not, God sent His Son to Earth to show His love. He sent His Son to save us from our sins. He sent His Son to give us abundant life.

It is time we think about God. After the giving and getting; after the feasting, after the parties, after all we do at Christmas time, let us think of what has done!

Are you thinking? Are you thankful?

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Marshall Christmas program

Christmas songs, a play and dancing were part of the Marshall School holiday program, presented Tuesday night by sixth grade students for family members and friends in the school gymnasium.

A brief meeting of the Marshall School Parent-Teacher Association was conducted by Denny Asbeck, president, prior to the entertainment.

Refreshments were served by the PTA members to conclude the evening.

The cast for a play, entitled "The Christmas Doll," was:

Dawn Atchley, narrator; Greg Ambuehl, Alfie, the chief elf; Jim Andrews, first elf; Joe Doty, second elf; Cheryl Swift, third elf; Cheryl Coulter, fourth elf; Sheryl Dawson, Linda, the Christmas Doll; Lisa Green and Kirsten Weatherford, toy clowns; George Evans, Santa Claus; Mike Sturman, reindeer; Benly Barylske, Dutch boy; Cara Crews, Dutch girl; Mike Dieker, Wanda Kite, Richard Lijewski and Elizabeth Stark, Austrian dancers.

Carla Housend, Charlene King, Tony Leone, Darlene McCoskey and Tim Newton, Chinese dancers; Lenny Adams, Kathy Nick, David

Richey and Beverly Wallace, Mexican dancers; Christy McDaniel, mother; David Stark, father; Michelle Smith, sister; and Charles Householder, brother.

"I'm Gettin' Nuttin' for Christmas" was sung by Billy Causey. Paula Earls sang "It's Beginning to Look Like Christmas" and Lisa Thompson sang "Silver Bells."

"Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" was presented by Christy McDaniel, Michelle McAllister and Lisa Thompson.

The songs, "Here Comes Santa Claus," "Christmas

Alphabet," "Must Be Santa" and "Seventy-Seven Santas," were sung by the following students: Billy Causey, Cindy Click, Roy Channess, Paula Earls, Marvin Glaspie, Rayetta Glaspie, Lisa Green, Brett Hutchinson, Nikki Kiselka, Jeff Kopsic, Christy McDaniel, Michelle McAllister, Kathy Nick, Kelly Padgett, Michelle Smith, Cheryl Swift, Lisa Thompson, Beverly Wallace and Kirsten Weatherford. The stage crew consisted of Lenny Adams, Tommy Barylske and Timmy

Newton. Scenery for the play was painted by the fifth grade students, under the direction of Mrs. Pat Gowers and Mrs. Mary Ann Reid, and the sixth grade students, under the supervision of Ralph Craycraft and Don Luddeke. Directors for the production were Mrs. Judy Collins, Ron Keeton, Mrs. Pat Michaeloff, Mrs. Marilyn Parker and Mrs. Mary Lou Schwab.

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Once again Christmas is upon us and we ask ourselves what we can do to make our lives and our city more attractive for everyone around us. We feel confident the new year will bring more improvements and added benefits to the citizens of Madison so we can continue to be proud of our town.

As we make plans to celebrate Christmas we must not forget to say our prayers for the hostages in Iran, and hope that this incident will instill in our leaders the foresight to prevent this type of unfortunate incident in the future.

As we conclude 1979 in a spirit of peace and brotherhood, we hope everyone has a full opportunity to enjoy good health and many years of happiness.

In closing we want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mayor Mike and Winnie Sasyk
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Mr. and Mrs. Best names son Ryan

Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Katherine) Best of Edwardsville, have selected the name of Ryan Michael for their first child, a boy, born on Dec. 11, at Alton Memorial Hospital.

The infant weighed seven pounds, 13 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al (Connie) Crumley, Granite City, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Laverne) Best, Edwardsville. The great-grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Hundley, resides in Granite City.

Mrs. Best was guest of honor at a cradle shower given prior to the infant's birth, by Mrs. Joyce Radcliff and Joy Patrick.

The event was held in the Supper Club of the Granite City Army Installation, which was decorated in a pink and blue theme with small baby booties as favors. Refreshments were served by the hostesses to 26 guests.

Christmas tree fire safety tips

(State Fire Marshal) NATURAL TREE: Be sure the tree has been freshly cut. A dried-out evergreen is a fire hazard. When buying a natural tree, beware if the tree has brittle or shedding needles. Be sure to cut off at least one-inch of the tree trunk for better water absorption.

Make sure the tree stand is sturdy and non-tip. Consider adding guy lines to support a big tree.

Trees must be watered daily. When water absorption stops—discard the tree.

Natural evergreens must be kept away from candles, TV sets, fireplaces, open flames, and heat vents of any kind.

PLASTIC TREES: Check

for fire-retardant label.

METALLIC TREES: Use only indirect spotlighting. Don't hang lighting sets on a metallic tree. You will create an electrical shock hazard.

Trees with a built-in electrical system should carry the label of a testing agency.

LIGHTING: Inspect last year's lights closely—for worn insulation, loose bulb sockets, and broken plugs. If they are damaged, don't risk it; replace them.

Buy lighting sets approved by a testing agency. Plug them into no larger than 15 ampere circuits. Use extension cords sparingly.

Prevent cord damage—do not place cords near foot traffic, through doorways, or under rugs.

Indoor electrical equipment is not safe outdoors. For outdoors, use only approved outdoor lighting sets, extension cords and fixtures. DECORATIONS: Use flame-retardant or non-combustible decorations. Untreated cotton bunting, flock, tissue paper, and some foamed plastics catch fire so easily! Be creative—and fire safe.

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INSPECTING DAMAGE (lower picture) at a fire at 1:25 p.m. Friday that did estimated damage of over \$8,000 to a garage and carport. Madison firefighters are checking the still smoldering rafters at property of Walter Miller, 1540 Sixth St. Firemen, from the left, are Mike

Macek, Rickey Robbins holding the hose, Andy Economy and William Hlava. The fire was believed started by children igniting a trash barrel in the alley. Another view of the blaze is given in the top picture.

(Press-Record Photos)

Illinois land, water resources division

Jim Frank of Springfield has been named to head a new division of the Illinois Department of Agriculture—a division of land and water resources.

Illinois Director of

Agriculture John Block said Frank, formerly the agricultural adviser for the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA), will begin laying the groundwork for the new division Jan. 1.

That division will include several activities now carried out in other divisions of the "ag" department—as well as new activities.

According to Block, the responsibilities will include soil and water conservation programs, sedimentation and erosion control activities, and land reclamation and watershed development activities.

In addition, new emphasis will be placed on preservation of agricultural land.

"Creation of this division reflects the department's interest in preserving our state's soil and water resources, as well as preserving our prime farmland from urban sprawl," Block said.

"We feel that Jim Frank has represented the agriculture sector well with the Illinois IEPA. His experience and knowledge in the natural resources area will help our department develop soil and water programs that will benefit everyone."

In his former position with the IEPA, Frank was responsible for coordinating the agency's programs dealing with agriculture.

Frank has served with the EPA since his graduation from Southern Illinois University in 1972. He was raised on a Marshall County farm near Springfield, and spent much of his youth working on neighboring farms.

The division relating to land and water resources becomes the sixth major division of the Illinois Department of Agriculture.

Other divisions are: Division of Meat, Poultry and Livestock Inspection; Division of Marketing and Agricultural Services; Division of Agricultural Industry Regulation; Division of Administrative

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Harness racing's man on the move

By JOHN SCULLY
Carl Becker is a man of many talents in the harness racing industry.

He is one of the top harness racing announcers in the country, owner of a horse auction company, pedigree reader at the top standardbred sales in the United States, and a breeder of top quality harness horses.

The native of Alton, Ill., has been in harness racing for 18 years, 14 of which he has been announcing.

His exciting race calls are known throughout the county fair circuit in Illinois, as well as the State Fair in Springfield, the Du Quoin Fair, the Indiana State Fair and a race meeting at the Red Mile in Lexington, Ky. Carl travels nationwide to the top harness auctions, where he reads the pedigrees as the horses are being sold.

The past year, Carl has worked at the sales at Lexington, Ky., Columbus, Ohio, Philadelphia and New York.

His knowledge and his memory of various facts of a horse's pedigree have helped to sell many a horse.

Becker is co-owner of the Midwest Speed Sales Company, which holds five horse auctions a year at Springfield and also at Balmoral Park in Crete, Ill.

The father of two sons, John and Curt, Carl and his wife, Bonny, thrive on a busy schedule. He is part owner of five of the top standardbred stations in Illinois, standing throughout the state. Armbror Rick stands for a \$1,500 stud fee at Poplar Grove Farm in Poplar Grove, Ill.

Brotherly Way is one of the best bred standardbred stallions in the state of Illinois, full brother in blood to the legendary Super Bowl, out of Kerry Way, winner of the Hambletonian in 1960 and also dam of this year's top filly, Classical Way.

Carl also stands Bobbed,

Flaming Bret and Timely Byrd.

The popular horseman has nine horses currently racing at Fairmount Park, including the track record-drummer, for the trot, Nevele Frank.

Despite traveling throughout the country to the

sales and to announce, he still manages to find time to take care of his other business interests, which include real estate and coin laundromats. He definitely disproves Leo Durocher's axiom that "nice guys finish last."

'Unique' environmental training planned in area

Plans and specifications for installation of equipment in the Environmental Resources Training Center at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville were approved Thursday by the SIU Board of Trustees, and the executive committee of the board was given authority to award contracts for the project.

Funding is from a \$500,000 grant received by the university from the Illinois Environmental Protection

Agency (IEPA). Authority to proceed with bidding on the plans is contingent on approval of the plans and specifications by the IEPA.

Because of the type of treatment system being developed, it was decided that the purchase of equipment should be bid and contracted separately from the installation phase.

Purpose is to permit the greatest number of equipment fabricators and sup-

pliers to bid on the purchase; the purchase of equipment has been completed.

Items bought include equipment for a wet chemistry or wastewater analysis laboratory, audio-visual equipment, and equipment for pilot-scale unit operations and processes.

Authorization for the executive committee to award contracts was granted because no board meeting is scheduled in January. University officers said they believe installation of the equipment will be less expensive if contracts are awarded and work is begun in early winter.

With the equipment procured through the grant, the ERTC will become a unique training facility because it will offer hands-on training not offered anywhere else in the nation, it was noted.

WALLET MISSING

Mrs. Ralph Hausman, an employee in the Society Services office at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, reported last week the theft of a gold colored wallet and a blue change purse from her desk drawer. The wallet contained a check for \$80, credit cards and miscellaneous papers.

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Food, drugs are defined by state

Definitions of food and drugs to be used by Illinois retailers in implementing the sales tax reduction on such items effective Jan. 1, 1980, were filed last week by the Illinois Department of Revenue.

The new law specifies that the state sales tax be reduced by one percent on "food for human consumption which is to be consumed off the premises" and "prescription and non-prescription medicines, drugs, medical appliances and insulin, urine testing utensils, syringes and needles used by diabetics." It excludes alcoholic beverages and "food which has been prepared for immediate consumption."

Under the rules filed with the Illinois Secretary of State office, food is defined as "any solid, liquid, powder or item intended by the seller primarily for human consumption."

Medicines and drugs are defined as "any pill, powder, potion, salve or other preparation intended by the manufacturer for human use and which purports on the label to have medicinal qualities."

A medical appliance is defined as "any item intended by the maker to correct any malfunctioning part of the body, or is used as a substitute for any functioning part of the body."

Examples given of medical appliances include

artificial limbs, crutches, wheelchairs, stretchers, hearing aids, corrective eyeglasses, sterile cotton and bandages.

Also included is testing equipment, such as blood pressure kits, thermometers, and urine testing kits.

Among items not included in the definition are non-sterile cotton swabs, disposable diapers, toilet paper, tissues, towlettes, lipsticks, perfumes and hair tonics.

The rules will be published in the Dec. 21 issue of the Illinois Register. Copies of the Illinois Register may be obtained by contacting the Office of the Secretary of State, Rules and Regulations Division, 490 Centennial Bldg., Springfield 62756.

NATURAL GAS SUPPLY ADEQUATE IN STATE

Michael V. Hasten, chairman of the Illinois Commerce Commission, says the coming winter will be met with a sufficient supply of natural gas for Illinois consumers, even if temperatures fall ten percent below normal.

A survey of Illinois gas utility companies conducted by the Commerce Commission staff found that conservation by consumers, more effective exploration, and new gas drilling have contributed to the increased supply.

Now it's Energy Savings Bonds

The Treasury Department has announced that the new Series EE savings bonds, which go on sale effective Jan. 1, 1980, will be called United States Energy Savings Bonds.

Series EE, and will receive a 1/2 percent bonus if held to maturity. The interest rate on U.S. Energy Savings Bonds, Series EE, will be increased from 6.5 percent to 7 percent for bonds held for the full 11 years to maturity.

Series E bonds that have not finally matured and U.S. Savings Notes ("Freedom Shares") will also receive the 1/2 percent bonus if they are held for 11 years from the date of the first semiannual interest period that begins on or after Jan. 1, 1980.

Bonds and notes redeemed earlier will not receive the bonus.

The redesignation of the bonds as Energy Savings Bonds is intended to help focus attention on the national goals of reducing energy consumption and increasing domestic supplies.

The bonds were known as Defense Bonds before and after World War II and as War Bonds from 1941 to 1945.

reflecting the national concerns of those times.

The Energy Savings Bonds will assist in financing the large federal energy expenditure required in the coming years.

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EAT-IN KITCHEN and carpets throughout in this 2-bedroom bungalow located in North, Granite. Good credit and ability to pay \$250 per month will probably move you in. Call Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 21 11F BUILDER DISPLAY HOMES available, only 30 minutes from Granite. We can and will sell your old house! Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 21 121F DONIPHAN, MO.: 3 bedroom trailer on 2 lots, approximately 2 miles from town. City water, gas furnace, shade. Can be purchased for less than \$11,000. A \$6,776 loan can be assumed at 8 per cent interest. Interested parties should call Troy Smith at 931-6494 or write M. K. Smith, Rt. 3, Box 237, Doniphan, Mo. 63635. 21 20

POTENTIAL COMMERICAL ON Pontoon Road, 100 ft. frontage with a solid brick 2-bedroom house. Write your offer subject to zoning. Call Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 21 219F 17 ACRES FOR SALE in Illinois near St. Louis. Full subdivision. Call (217) 537-3596, after 8 p.m., or 217-537-3596. BY OWNER: 287 wooded acres. Two hours south of St. Louis. \$250 per acre. St. Louis. Call 895-1656. 21 22F RURAL TOWN with all of the city conveniences is the setting for this 2 bedroom frame home only one hour from Granite. We have buyers for your property now. Call Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 21 210F DUPLO TRIPLEX with solid contract income that should net \$400 per month. Less than \$25,000. Exchange your depreciated single into this money maker. Call Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 21 219F 222 ACRES in Fayette County. Only one hour from Granite. Ideal place to start farming. We can sell your city property and move you to clean air and security for your family. Call Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 21 219F

EDGE OF TOWN "Sharpie" Lots of room in this 4 bedroom, big living room and large kitchen home. Has aluminum siding, carpeting, garage and 150x170 lot. Call on this bargain now. Call Anderson Realty, 877-7544, \$39,500. 11 220

FOR SALE MOOSE LODGE Brick bldg. in very good condition. Approx. 7,500 sq. ft. on 1 level with 100x125 lot parking area. Zone M-1 which allows for practically any use.

FOR DETAILS CALL: Carl Hoffman Realty 877-5977

1522 CLARK has carpeting, air, full basement finished and a carport. Call 877-1900. Abrams Realty 1. B-23. 11 220

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD, Christian Center south of Carlinville is the setting for this compact, easy to care for, brick veneer cottage. One bedroom with more room in the finished walk-out basement for your weekend guests. Fishing, peace, quiet, solitude, security and clean country air can be found here. Buy now for retirement. Use now as a weekend family retreat in Christian atmosphere. Realistically priced at only \$32,000. Call to make an appointment to discuss how you can have this dream. We can help you. Investment Realty Service, call 877-7507. 11 11F

4 CHARLESTOWN: 3 bedroom ranch with carpeting, central air, sunporch and a garage. Call 877-1900. Abrams Realty 1. L-15. 11 220

BY OWNER: 1 1/2 story brick, 3 or 4 bedrooms, 2 baths. Recently redecorated. Close to schools and shopping area. Nice corner lot. For appointment, call 876-8815. 11 22F

Real Est. for Sale 2 NEW LUXURY lots now available in Ginger Creek II, a few left in earlier platings. Call Cottonwood Realty, 656-8880. 2 7 261F

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Mobile H. for Sale 5A

MOBILE HOME MOVING I.C.C. Licensed & Insured LOCAL MOVING ONLY FRED'S MOBILE HOMES Hwy. 3 and Rand Hartford, Ill. Phone 264-1858

WANTED: Mobile home lot on private property to rent. Call 877-2186 after 5 p.m. 5A 12 171F 12660 BROADMORE with 8x10 expando, 2 bedrooms, built-in kitchen, air, carpeted, furnished, new wiring and hot water heater. Call 797-6668. 5A 11 51F

DOUBLE WIDE 3-bedroom 24x60 on private, secluded lot in Granite City. May take equity in your house in trade. To discuss how we can move you into this fine home, call Investment Realty Service 877-7507. 5A 11 121F

TWELVE WIDE: 2 bedrooms, completely furnished, 510's refrigerator, washer, dryer, air conditioned, good condition. Must sell, bargain at \$3,995. Call 797-6880. 5A 12 21F LOT FOR RENT, \$50 month. Includes water, trash pickup and sewage disposal. One child accepted. Call 931-4440. 5A 12 27

1979 ARLINGTON, 14x60, 2 bedrooms, central air, partly furnished, washer, dryer, skirting, kitchen, \$2,500 down, take over payments. Call 874-0331, ask for George. 5A 12 20

GLENWOOD ESTATES: 4-bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, 2-car garage home is newly constructed, dishwasher and stove furnished, gas heat \$450 per month plus security deposit. No pets. Brown Realtor, call 345-4545 ask for Velma. 6 9 24F

FOR SALE or lease: New 8-bedroom home with 2-car attached garage, \$385 per month. Located in Troy, Ill. Call 877-1900, Abrams Realty. 6 11 54F

2006 NAMEOKI ROAD, 7 rooms, 2 full baths, built-in kitchen, \$300 a month plus deposit, pay own utilities. Call 877-6150. 6 12 24

FOUR ROOM house, partly furnished, \$225 month plus deposit. In Madison. Call 877-1742 after 5 p.m. 6 12 24

FURNISHED, three room house, couple, \$155 month. No pets. 800 Grand. 6 12 20

THREE BEDROOM house, fully carpeted, large kitchen-dining area, large rooms. Located in nice neighborhood. Will pay water and sewer. Rent \$50 month. Call 877-3545 after 5:30 p.m. 6 12 27

THREE ROOM, furnished completely. All new furniture. Central heat, central air. Cleaning deposit required. No pets. Call 451-2576 for appointment. 6 12 20

SMALL 3-room, furnished home. Gentlemen only. Call 876-0295. 6 12 20

HOLIDAY MOBILE HOME PARK State Aid 35 Between Highways 111 & 157 Granite City, Illinois 931-4440

CHRISTMAS SALE
NEW HOMES

79 Travelp, 24x60, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths. NOW \$29,650
Was \$32,500.
79 Rochester, 14x70, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. NOW \$18,175
Was \$19,175.
80 Billmore, 14x67, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths. NOW \$16,650
Was \$17,900.
80 Billmore, 14x69, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. NOW \$16,550
Was \$17,900.
79 Sherwood Park, 14x70, 2 bedrooms, 2 full baths. NOW \$15,400
Was \$16,500.
This includes our regular delivery and set up (within 100 miles), 6 anchors installed and one set roadworn steps. NO TRADE IN TAKEN AT THESE PRICES.

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71 Park Avenue, 12x50, 2 bedrooms. NOW \$3,000
(As is). Was \$4,500.
71 Fleming, 12x50, 2 bedrooms. NOW \$4,000
Was \$4,500.
72 Fifth Avenue, 12x52, 2 bedrooms. NOW \$5,000
Was \$5,500.

TRAVEL TRAILER

76 Gold Nugget, 28', fully self-contained. NOW \$3,950
Was \$4,500.
THESE PRICES GOOD ONLY THROUGH DECEMBER 25, 1979 at HOLIDAY MOBILE HOME PARK, GRANITE CITY, ILLINOIS. Call 931-4440.

Houses for Rent 6

THREE BEDROOM house, new furnace, large fenced yard. Immediate occupancy, \$250 per month. First and last month. 4416 Nameoki Rd. Call 876-3885 or 288-9252. 12 12 20

THREE ROOM furnished house. Working couple preferred. No pets. Deposit and references required. 2316 Iowa. 6 12 20

FOUR ROOM house, basement, central air, carpeting, extra large clean. No pets, \$285 month plus deposit. 2650 E. 24th. Call 877-7145. 6 12 24

THREE BEDROOM house, recently remodeled, carpet and paneling, large yard, garage. On edge of town, \$315 month, \$175 deposit. Pay own utilities. Call 876-8515. 6 12 24

THREE ROOMS suitable for one adult, \$150 month plus \$100 deposit. Good references. Call 876-4555. 6 12 20

FOR SALE or rent: ranch style home, 3-bedroom, full basement, utility, 1-car garage. Call Holzinger Real Estate, (618) 654-9888, ask for Sue. 6 11 261

FOR RENT or sale: Owner transferred. New 3-bedroom ranch style home. Close to everything. Central air, double carport, full basement with family room and pool table. Ask for Sue or Wilfred. Call Holzinger Real Estate, (618) 654-9888. 6 11 261

RANCH STYLE home with 3 bedrooms, living room, central air, 2-car garage, all on approx. 3/4 acre. Call Holzinger Real Estate, (618) 654-9888, ask for Sue or Wilfred. 6 11 261

FOR SALE or rent: New 3-bedroom home, full basement, attached garage. Nice location. Owner will consider contract for deed. Holzinger Real Estate, call (618) 654-9888, ask for Sue or Wilfred. 6 11 261

Apts. for Rent 7

THREE ROOM, very clean, quiet, furnished apartment. Limit one or two employed adults. No pets, drugs or alcohol. 2013 Bryan. Call 876-8755 for application. 7 12 20

RENT OR SELL, 2 bedroom apartment, Venice. Call 337-5839. 7 12 20

3 Bedroom DUPLEX in PONTOON BEACH

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MOST MODERN 1 & 2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS and 2 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 BATH TOWNHOUSE WITH SWIMMING POOL and ALL THE LATEST CONVENIENCES

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Entrance 2600 Pontoon Rd. Phone 931-5356
Manager 3905 Village Lane - Apt. D

THREE ROOMS, newly furnished, upstairs. No pets. \$100 month. 2147 Benton. Call 877-2944. 7 12 131

NEAT 2 bedroom apartment, w/w carpeting, central air, includes range, refrigerator, washer and dryer. \$225 month plus security deposit. Call Jim at 876-7817. 7 12 171

VACATION EVERY DAY in the largest 2 and 3 bedroom Townhouse apartments in the area. Beautiful location by golf course and swimming pool. Between Collinsville and Granite City. Easy access to Highway 70 and 270. From \$235. Fairway Estates, 931-6516. 7 12 20

TWO AND THREE room furnished apartments. Everything paid. Call 876-1562. 7 12 31

ONE-BEDROOM, bath, kitchen and living area apt., \$185 month, all utilities paid. Adults preferred. Call 877-2155 between 8:30 and 5 p.m. 7 12 20

NICE DUPLEX, 2 bedrooms, basement, stove and refrigerator. Newly decorated. West Granite. Rent \$200. Call 876-2781. 7 12 20

FIVE ROOMS, 2 bedrooms, share basement, unfurnished. Very nice. \$225 month plus \$200 deposit. 2419 Bromley. Call Whitely Realty, 877-3905. 7 12 24

THREE ROOM unfurnished apartment with full basement. Refrigerator, stove included. Everything paid. Call 876-1562. 7 12 31

EXCEPTIONALLY NICE one bedroom apartment. In quiet area. Includes range, refrigerator, air, carpet, garbage disposal, \$200 security deposit, \$200 month. Call 931-6422. 7 12 20

FOUR ROOMS, newly decorated, carpeting. Behind Fenwick. No pets, no alcohol. Prefer young working couple. 2018 E. 20th St. Call 876-2423. 7 12 27

THREE BEDROOM, partially furnished, \$190 month, pay own utilities. Call after 4 p.m., 877-6203. 7 12 27

CHOICE 2 bedroom Townhouse. Gaslight Walk apts. Call Abrams 877-1900. 7 9 71

4 ROOMS UNFURNISHED, upstairs. \$139. 2234A Grand. Call 876-1535. 7 11 261

SUPER SHARP: One and two bedroom apts. in Granite City. Includes range, refrigerator, disposal, central air, w/w carpet and laundry facilities in basement. Extra large closets. Lease plus security. Call 8 a.m. til 8 p.m., 451-5787. 7 12 31

THREE ROOMS, on Benton. Call 451-1297. 7 12 10

FOUR ROOM apartment, unfurnished, \$200 month. Call between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m., 877-5729. 7 12 24

NEW 2 bedroom duplex. Washer and dryer hookup. Refrigerator-range. Troy area. Call (618) 288-0051. 7 12 20

TWO BEDROOM unfurnished apartment available Dec. 22, 1979. Prefer adults. \$185 per month and security deposit. Call Kathy after 5 p.m. til 344-6172. 7 12 20

NICE one bedroom apartment at Gaslight Walk. Carpet, refrigerator, water furnished. One year lease, \$200 monthly. No pets. Phone 452-1791 or 931-6400. 7 12 20

DOWNTOWN APARTMENT, 2 bedrooms, with private parking, private entrance front and back, new gas furnace, hookup available for washer and dryer. Adults preferred. Call 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., 452-8117. 7 12 20

PARK AREA, spacious two bedroom apartment, with carpeting, stove and refrigerator, unfurnished, good location. Call 931-4486. 7 12 20

FURNISHED OR unfurnished 3 room apartment. Excellent condition. Travelodge. Call 876-2600. 7 12 20

APARTMENT, furnished, all utilities paid, all private. Call 451-6520. 7 12 20

DRIVE BY 220 Lee. Three large rooms, recently painted and carpeted. Stove, refrigerator and all utilities included. \$198. Call 452-2470. 7 12 24

TWO ROOM furnished apartment, \$155, one month deposit. All utilities paid. 2280 State. Call 451-5751 after 4:30 p.m. 7 12 20

SMALL 2-room furnished apartment, \$90 per month. Near American Steel. Call 452-4435 or 877-5234. 7 12 20

NEWLY REMODELED 2 bedroom apartment. Near Downtown Granite. \$170 per month plus deposit. Call 876-4435 or 851-6513. 7 12 20

THREE LARGE rooms, all utilities paid. References required. Call for details, 876-4979. 7 12 20

FURNISHED APARTMENTS. Inquire 2411 Illinois. 7 12 24

TWO BEDROOM apartment, refrigerator, stove, draperies, carpeting, heat, air, trash pickup, disposal, lawn care. \$230 month plus deposit. Call 931-3942. 7 12 24

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LARGE TOWNHOUSE 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT

Electric kitchen, washer and dryer hookup, central air, \$220 Per Month. Located on Kathy. 877-5170

Rooms for Rent 8

CLEAN sleeping rooms for men. 1513 Second Street, Madison. Call 876-6218. 8 12 171

FURNISHED ROOM. Call 876-6220 or 877-6253. 8 13

SLEEPING ROOM in private residence in Central Hardware area. Private entrance. Quiet, sober individual only. \$20 week. Call 877-3833 after 5 p.m. 8 12 27

SLEEPING ROOMS, clean, modern, convenient. 2131 Grand. 8 12 27

ROOMS FOR RENT. Lady or gentleman, no narcotics or alcohol. Elderly welcome. Call 876-7079. 8 12 24

REINHARDT-Realtor Sells-BETTER LIVING

Commercial for Rent 9

GREENBERG DEVELOPMENT
Real Estate for Rent
In front of K-Mart on Nameoki Rd.
\$495 Per Month
965-2000

FREE STANDING office space with adequate parking for service type business. Will do some remodeling of this 600 sq. ft. for tenant. Only \$200 per month. Investment Realty Service, call 877-7507. 9 8 91

OFFICE FOR RENT

Approximately 700 Sq. Ft. on Nameoki Rd. Large Parking Area.

Call for Professional, Insurance, Real Estate, Accountants, etc.

Call 1-288-7323

Misc. for Rent 10

SMALL BUSINESS building in Granite City on busy street, 600 sq. ft. Only \$200 per month. Investment Realty Service, call 877-7507. 10 8 91

VILLAGE GREEN Mobile Home Park

SPACES AVAILABLE FOR RENT
3801 LAKE DRIVE
Phone 797-6698

Trailers for Rent 11

2-BEDROOM FURNISHED, extra nice, \$170 a month, first and last month. Call 931-2634 after 5 p.m. 11 12 61

WANTED: Mobile home lot on private property to rent. Call 877-2186 after 5 p.m. 11 12 171

TRAILER SPACE to 35 ft. See Chain of Rocks Trailer Park office. Near Sun-N-Fun. 11 12 20

TWO BEDROOM mobile home. Adults preferred, no pets. \$195 month. Located between Granite City and Collinsville. Call 931-4440. 11 12 27

THREE BEDROOMS, 1 1/2 baths, 12x65, on rental, \$5200. Before 5, 931-4440. After 5, 877-6340. 11 12 24

Houses Wanted 12

QUICK CASH: We buy your house now. No listing required. Prefer clean houses under \$300,000. Will consider property needing repair. Ask for Mr. Lehn at Investment Realty Service. 877-7507. 12 12 41

BROKER HAS CASH: Wants to buy houses. Call Chris at Abrams Realty, 877-2644. 12 12 21

Cars for Sale 15

'72 PONTIAC GRANVILLE, good condition; 74 Chevrolet Blazer, 4-wheel drive, has large tires. Call 344-6293. 15 11 81

'76 CHEVY WINDOW van, low mileage, good shape, used commercially, snow tires included. Call 876-6050 or 931-4121. 15 11 11

'75 JEEP CJ-5, 6-cyl., all extras, new top, new tires. \$4,500. Call 877-5073. 15 12 20

'79 PINTO, 3,000 miles, 4-cyl., power steering, rear window defogger, AM-FM radio, body side moulding, automatic transmission, \$3,800 or take over payments of \$123.79. Call 877-7115. 15 12 20

'78 YAMAHA, 125YZZ, dirt bike, like new, \$550. Call 877-3095 or 797-6650. 15 12 20

'75 BUICK REGAL, 2-door, 350, V-6, power, air, rear deicer, 38,xxx miles. Real nice car. Call 876-0990. 15 12 24

'78 DODGE W-150 pickup, 4-wheel drive, full power, automatic, roll bar, tonneau cover. Excellent condition. Sharp. Call 4-656-3814. 15 12 27

'78 FORD VAN. Call 931-0581. 15 12 20

'78 MONZA SPYDER, V-8, 2 door, power steering and brakes, air, custom paint job, new Pioneer stereo, speakers with power booster, plus much more. Call 931-4097. 15 12 20

'67 DODGE, V-8, automatic. Runs for parts. \$100 firm. Call 876-7448, a.m. 15 12 20

'77 PONTIAC LEMANS Sport Coupe, black w/white stripes, power steering and brakes, air, AM-FM 8-track, sports package, \$3,800. Call 876-0639 after six. 15 12 20

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'78 LINCOLN Town Car, fully equipped. Perfect car. Low miles, good tires. Must see. Call 931-5857 or come by 4444 Wabash. 15 12 24

'73 CHEVY CAPRICE Estate Wagon, 3-seat, air, power steering and brakes. Excellent condition, \$1,495. Call 1-632-6194. 15 12 24

'76 MARK IV, "Bill Blass" Edition, excellent condition. Call 945-9615. 15 12 20

'68 EL CAMINO, power and air, 300 hp., 359 engine, auto. trans., air shocks, dual exhaust, looks and runs great! \$1,600. '75 Pontiac Transville, power and air, very good condition, \$2,900. Must sell one of these two cars. Call 931-6982 after 5 p.m. and on weekends. 15 12 24

'75 GRAND FURY Station Wagon, 3-seat, low mileage, \$2,500. Call 452-7941. 15 12 24

'76 NOVA CONCOURS, full power, cruise control and more. Call 876-8835. 15 12 27

'72 GREMLIN, \$850. Call 452-2494. 15 12 31

'76 CHEVROLET IMPALA, 2-door, vinyl top, 350, automatic, air, snow tires, good condition, \$1,490. Call 931-5079. 15 12 20

'68 SCAT, 266 V-8 4-speed transmission, runs good, \$800. Call 876-4367 after 5 p.m. 2664 Iowa. 15 12 24

'76 CAMARO, 305 engine, automatic, air, AM-FM stereo, rustproof. Must sell. Call 877-1888. 15 12 24

'72 DUSTER, 6-cyl., 3-speed, bucket seats, new battery, tires and more. Sixty in rear. Real sharp! \$950. Call 876-3642. 15 12 24

'70 FORD TORINO GT, 2-door, V-8, automatic. Call 797-6076. 15 12 20

'72 IMPALA, clean, like new, good shape, \$775. Call 931-4958. 15 12 20

'70 NOVA, 6-cyl., automatic, 18 to 25 mpg, 2-door, clean. \$650. Call 876-7512. 15 12 20

'72 CHEVY IMPALA, 2-door hardtop, 350, 2 bbl., automatic, good radial tires, good condition and mileage. \$765. Call 876-7512. 15 12 20

'76 DODGE ASPEN, Special Edition, silver, black, 2-door, 6-cyl., automatic, power saver, \$1990. Call 931-5079. 15 12 20

'68 FORD FAIRLANE, 302 motor, good condition. Car needs work, \$95. Call 797-0672. 15 12 20

'72 FORD F-100, automatic, power, extra clean, 56,000 miles. '70 Volkswagen. Call 931-4793. 15 12 20

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New Group 24 3-yr. \$33.50
Reconditioned Group 24 3-yr. \$18.00 Plus tax and exchange

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876-6160

'75 MARK IV, very good condition, all the extras, \$3,600. Call 797-0184. 15 13

'68 DODGE CORONET, 318 engine, automatic, power steering and brake, 100,000 miles. Dependable transportation. \$300 firm. Call 877-0353. 15 11 10

'75 MUSTANG II, power steering and brake, automatic, V-8, 36,000 miles. Call 451-0691. 15 12 20

'73 MAVERICK, runs good, dependable, body fair. \$550 firm. Call 852-5280. 15 12 20

'74 T-BIRD, loaded, moon roof. Call 931-3837. 15 12 20

'74 CHEVY PICKUP with camper top and new tires. Call 877-7884. 15 12 20

'78 FORD LTD II, power steering and brakes, air conditioned, AM-FM 8-track, vinyl top, white sidewall tires, make offer. Call 877-8991. 15 12 20

'69 JAVALIN, V-8, automatic, power steering, air. Needs transmission. Must sell. Best offer or \$160. Call 876-7448, a.m. 15 12 20

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1/2-TON electric hoist, 115 volt, \$25. Used and new set, rack and handle, with 1/2 ton 1 1/2" dies, \$120. 1/2" electric impact gun, like new. 75 lbs. Mile rental. 1/2 performance auto parts. Call 931-2246. 12 12 20

CHAIN LINK FENCE
Complete line. Do it yourself or have us install it. Portable dog kennels. Clothesline posts. 1331 Iowa 877-1600
Shrubbery Gravel
Rock, cement, sand, asphalt, pre-mix material in sacks at yard or delivered by the topsoil. Driveway chat, too.

Burch's Material
1331 Iowa 877-1600
Rummage Sale 17A
BARGAINS GALORE: For women and men. Between TOU, Faith Ave. between Buxton and Marshall. Mon.-Thurs., 10-3. Sat., 10-4. 12 12 31
PLEA MARKET: gymnasium building, Rt. 3 and Rand Ave., Hartford, Ill. Sunday, Dec. 23, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Table rental \$5. Sponsored by Citizens for Park Development. Free admission. Call 254-4468 or 254-0044 for information. 12 12 20

INSIDE: Friday only, 110 Wilson Park Lane, 9 to 2 p.m. Lots of nice clothes and miscellaneous. 12 12 20
YARD SALE: 2338 Miracade, Thursday and Friday. Infant to adult clothing. 12 12 20

REINHARDT—Realty
Sue—BETTER LIVING

Misc. Wanted 19
WANTED: Building lots in Granite City at 877-1935. Call Abrams Realty 1 at 877-2611. 12 12 26H

WANTED: Anything of value, furniture, antiques, estates. The Finishers, call 876-2012. 12 12 26H
WANTED: Mobile home lot on private property to rent. Call 877-2186 after 5 p.m. 12 12 17H
WASHERS and dryers not working. Call 931-3450. 12 12 17

WANTED: Refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners. Working or not. Free pickup. Call 876-4116. 12 12 31
WANTED: Used furniture and appliances. No junk, please. 1335 Edwardsville Road. Call 452-7130. 12 12 14
ANTIQUES WANTED: Furniture, glassware, clocks, tobacco cans, anything old. Call 876-0720. 12 12 31

WANT TO BUY: Beer can collections. Large or small. Call 876-2224. 12 12 20
SMALL electric arc welder. 12 12 20
BUYING silver coins, 10.50 and up per dollar. Gold coins, gold rings, dental gold. Prices may fluctuate depending on market. Call 451-7455, ask for Bud. 12 12 31
SMALL electric wrench. Call 797-6376. 12 12 20

Wanted: Upright bass fiddle, 1/4 size, good condition. Call 451-5786. 12 12 20
WANTED: Good, used gymnastic exercising mat. Call 876-5817. 12 12 20
SILVER AND GOLD coins, coin collections, proof sets. \$11.50 to \$12 per dollar of silver coins. \$12 to \$18 for silver dollars, \$455 for gold gold pieces. Also, gold jewelry, dental gold, diamonds. Paying \$400 and up for slot machines. Will call at your bank or home. Call 877-3653. 12 12 20
Call Bill, Glen Carbon, 1-288-9318. 12 12 31

WILL PAY \$2.25 for old car batteries. Will pick up one or more. Call 877-5833. 12 12 24
BROKEN or used TV's. Must have UHF (30). Fair price paid or trade on a nice receiver. Call 877-3653. 12 12 27
Choice. Call today! 344-1122 or 345-9418. 12 12 27

Business Opp. 21
OWN AND OPERATE candy, confection vending route. Granite City and surrounding area. Pleasant business. High profit items. Part-time. Age, experience not important. Requires \$1,995 to \$3,995 investment. Write, include phone number, to: Olatonna, Minn. 55066. 12 12 20

Help Wanted 22
Newsboys or Girls Neighborhood Routes. Apply Granite City News 1830 (Rear) State St. or Call 876-6030 Mon., Thurs. or Sat.

Part Time: Retail hardware store, clerk. Reply to Box 61 c/o Press-Record. 12 12 20
HELP WANTED: Age 18 up, of neat appearance, to work from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mondays on Sundays. Apply in person from 2 to 5 p.m. Park-N-Eat. 12 12 17

METRO PLACEMENT SYSTEMS
3600 Nameoki Rd. 451-2140 Granite City, Ill. 62040
INVENTORY CONTROL TRAINEE: Use your shipping, receiving and parts experience to assist in production setups, co-ordinate with purchasing and materials flow. Fee Paid, Salary \$800/month. 12 12 20
JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT: Entry level position for degreed individual. Train for six months, all local work. Good chance for advancement. Full medical, salary \$10,000. 12 12 20

ADMINISTRATIVE TRAINEE: Nationalwide firm. Get involved in sales, servicing existing accounts, public relations and personnel followup. Salary \$800 to \$1200/monthly. 12 12 20
OFFICE MANAGER: Will supervise and direct accounting functions, assist in budget preparations. Service approximately 50 employees. Local firm. Fee Paid, Salary \$18,000/year. 12 12 31
ACCOUNTING CLERK/BOOKKEEPER: For large firm. Accounts payable and receivable experience, posting and monthly reports. Need good office/clerical skills. Some experience or bookkeeping, accounting courses needed. Fee Paid, Salary \$750 plus. 12 12 20

FIGURE CLERK: Plush office, light typing and adding machine. Good entry level position! Good room for advancement! Fee Paid, Salary \$625 plus. 12 12 20
SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST: East side location. Type 65 accurate, shorthand dictation plus. Lots of public contact. Excellent benefits, salary \$600 plus. 12 12 20
OFFICE MANAGER/EXECUTIVE SECRETARY: East side location. Good typing and shorthand necessary. Arranging travel arrangements, need a sharp accurate nature person. Excellent benefits, Fee Paid, Salary \$12,000 range. 12 12 20

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RN: OBEED: Experienced RN's needed for small Illinois hospital. \$8.50 per hour, full or part time. Call 1-800-325-4334 for complete information. 12 12 20
WANTED: Part time office help. High school student acceptable. No experience necessary. Afternoon hours, Salary, \$3 per hour. Write c/o P.O. Box 1045, Granite City, Ill. 12 12 20

DENTAL ASSISTANT (chairs and reception) wanted. Experience preferred, but not required. Present resume to: Stephen C. Anderson, DDS, 2135 Pontoon Rd., Granite City, Ill. 62040. No phone calls, please. 12 12 24
ROUTE SALESMAN: For bakery products. Reply to Box 68, c/o Press-Record. 12 12 20
SHIPPING and receiving clerk, self starter, dependable, mature individual with some experience in shipping and receiving. Must have legible handwriting. Heavy lifting required. C.P.I. Corporation, 1706 Washington Ave., St. Louis, Mo. E.O.E. M-F. 12 12 20

CLERK TYPIST
Barge line office located in Hartford, Ill. is in need of a clerk typist to perform record keeping, typing and miscellaneous clerical functions in the maintenance and purchasing department. Good office skills required. Typing 40 w.p.m. minimum. Salary commensurate with experience. To arrange interview send resume on Wednesday, Dec. 26. 12 12 20
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SECRETARY, good typing, some shorthand, filing, general office duties, some knowledge of bookkeeping. Send written resume to: Tri-City Regional Port District, 2801 Rock Road, Granite City, Ill. 62040. 12 12 20
MEDICAL SECRETARY needed in doctor's office. Previous experience required. Should have knowledge of filling out insurance forms, typing, transcribing from dictation and general office duties. Good salary and good benefits. Interview to selected applicants only. Send resume to Box 61 c/o Press-Record. 12 12 20

SECRETARY: Beginner with good skills, \$600. Fee paid. Granite City Private Employment Agency, 2023 Edison. Call 877-4640. 12 12 20
SECRETARY: Type 60 with shorthand, some work experience, \$700-\$750. Fee paid. Granite City Private Employment Agency, 2023 Edison. Call 877-4640. 12 12 20

SALES PERSON: Experienced person. Abrams Realty 1, ask for Chris, 877-1900. 12 12 26H
ACCOUNTANT: The B-S-A Development Agency is seeking a qualified and experienced individual to be responsible for the design, development and maintenance of a property accounting system and the preparation of various regular and special accounting reports. The ideal applicant will have graduated from a four-year college or university with a degree in accounting and have several years experience in property accounting and related fiscal operations. An equivalent combination of education and/or experience will be acceptable. The starting salary is negotiable from the mid to high teens, based on experience. Supplemented by full fringe benefits including paid vacations and holidays, pension and health insurance, and yearly cost-of-living increases. Submit resumes no later than December 26, 1979 to: Director of Personnel, B-S-A Development Agency, 3869 Park Avenue, Dept. (A-215), St. Louis, Mo. 63110. B-S-A Development Agency is an Equal Opportunity Employer. M-F. 12 12 20

WASTEWATER SUPER-INTENDENT: Individual licensed (Class 2 minimum) to supervise three (3) waste water treatment plants totaling over 1 MGD. Will be in charge of daily operation of plants, and supervision of staff. Salary negotiable. Send resume to Village Clerk, Village Hall, Glen Carbon, Illinois 62034. 12 12 13H
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General clerical duties in personnel department. Must possess minimum typing skills of 65 WPM and shorthand 80 WPM. Light bookkeeping background helpful. Advancement opportunities. Large East Side industrial plant. Excellent salary and fringe benefits including medical and dental insurance. **SUBMIT RESUME TO: P.O. BOX 178 GRANITE CITY, ILL. 62040** Equal Opportunity Employer

GRANITE CITY (ILL.) PRESS-RECORD, Thursday, Dec. 20, 1979—41
WANTED for income tax season. Experienced preparer. Office hours only in Granite City. Mon.-Sat. W. B. Shindel, Box 382, Alton, Ill. 62002. 12 12 20
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ium, 9 p.m. 'til 1
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funds

WILLARD V. PORTELL
Clerk
By: Brenda Campbell

copies of claims must be mailed or delivered to the administrator and to the attorney.

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Willard v. Portell
Dated December 12, 1979.
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Public Notice 34

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Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County, Illinois
THE COUNTY OF
MADISON, ILLINOIS,
Plaintiff,**

**vs.
Kenneth G. Elliott, Janet K.
Elliott, Myco Investments,
Madison County, Illinois,
AND UNKNOWN OWNERS,
Defendant(s)**

No. 79-MR-327
Publication Notice
Requisite affidavit for publication having been filed and notice hereby given to you, Kenneth G. Elliott, Janet K. Elliott, Myco Investments, and also to all UNKNOWN OWNERS, defendants in the action now pending in the Circuit Court for the Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County, Illinois, by the said plaintiff, Madison County, Illinois, praying for demolition and lien interest upon said real estate for same of the following described property, to-wit:

The Northerly 45 feet of Lot 20 in Block 17 in State Park Place, Acreage Annex, being a subdivision in the Southwest Fractional Quarter of Section 36, Township 3 North, Range 9 West of the Third Principal Meridian, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 16, Page 77 in Madison County, Illinois, and for other relief: that the summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law, that said suit is still pending.

NOW THEREFORE, unless you, Kenneth G. Elliott, Janet K. Elliott, Myco Investments, and UNKNOWN OWNERS, defendants, file your answer therein in the Circuit Court for the Third Judicial Circuit, Madison County, Illinois, held in the courtroom in Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before the 14th day of January, 1980, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said complaint.

DATED THIS 7th day of December, 1979.

WILLARD V. PORTELL
Circuit Clerk
Madison County State's Attorney's Office
103 Purcell Street
Edwardsville, Ill. 62025
(618) 692-4550
No. 50 34 12 13 20 27

Notice For Publication
TO: FRANCES LOWATH (MOTHER OF MICHAEL MINI, A MINOR) 79-J-620 and to All Whom It May Concern:

Take notice that on the 14th day of DECEMBER, 1979 a petition was filed under the Juvenile Court Act by Asst. State's Atty. Barbara S. Joiner in the Circuit Court of Madison County entitled "In the interest of MICHAEL MINI, a minor", and that in CIRCUIT courtroom at ED-

Summer job applications

The Granite City Park District will be accepting applications for summer employment next week — Dec. 26 and Dec. 28 — and also Dec. 31, beginning at 9:30 a.m. and continuing until 3 p.m. at the Wilson Park office.

Positions to be filled include lifeguards, bathroom attendants, concession stand attendants, recreation leaders and aides, park police, ball diamond maintenance crews, maintenance workers, flower garden attendants, tennis and baseball instructors, and supervisors for the softball and baseball programs.

Applicants must be 16 years of age by May 1, 1980, and must reside within the boundaries of the Granite City Park District.

Church youths attend party

Breaking two large pinatas filled with gifts and candies was the highlight of a Christmas party given for the young people of Temple Baptist Church during the weekend.

The afternoon event was held at the church and also featured a gift exchange, games and refreshments. Those attending were George Harlan, Anthony Dollar, Scott and Tammy Chamberlain, Brenda Webb, Lisa Harlan, Shari Choat, Laeta Poole, Vince Freeze, Tiffany Dollan, Wendy Chamberlain, Amanda Dollar, Sherry Webb, Charlie Dailey, Charles Holt, Billie Dailey, Christian Dryer, Jimmie Harlan and teachers Mrs. Edna Chamberlain, Mrs. Billie Chamberlain, Mrs. Maryann Dollar and Charles Chamberlain.

WARDSVILLE on the 11th day of JANUARY at the hour of 11:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as this cause may be heard, an adjudicatory hearing will be held upon the petition to have the child declared to be a ward of the court under that Act. The court has authority in this proceeding to take from you the custody and guardianship of the minor, and to appoint a guardian with power to consent to adoption of the minor.

Now, unless you appear at the hearing and show cause against the petition, the petition may be taken for confessed as against you and each of you, and an order, judgment or decree entered.

Willard V. Portell
By: Brenda Campbell, Clerk
Dated: December 18, 1979.
No. 75 34 12 20

State help to schools is now down to 44%; new budget proposed

State Superintendent of Education Joseph M. Cronin, in presenting the proposed education budget to the Illinois State Board of Education's Budget Committee last week, said, "I am recommending that the fiscal year 81 (1980-81) State fiscal budget request for elementary, secondary and vocational education include an increase of \$194 million or 9.5 percent over FY 80 state appropriations."

"While enrollment is expected to decline around two percent next year, this proposed budget will still fall short of allowing local districts to keep pace with double-digit inflation."

"It is a realistic budget. It will provide for education's needs in the first full year of the decade. Yet, it will require frugality at all levels of education. For example, it anticipates that as many as 150 school buildings will be closed in 1980."

"With the increases, I am recommending the state aid formula be changed to allocate more equitably general state aid to local districts."

"Under my proposal, general state aid would be increased by \$99,200,000 (seven percent) to be distributed on an equalized basis to local schools, with special emphasis to those with below-average property wealth per student and to those with high concentrations of poverty children, who are most in need of basic educational programs."

"The formula change would raise the per-pupil guarantee to \$1,479 from the present \$1,363. In addition, it would compute each poverty child as a whole person, rather than two-thirds, as in the present formula."

"It also alters the formula tax rate to improve equity by computing claims on the same total rate for elementary and high school districts as for unit districts. (The proposed formula continues the move toward 'full access,' which when combined with the rate changes, benefits poorer districts — also moving us toward improved equity."

Dr. Cronin related that "more than 50 different formula alternatives were examined over the past several months. Some involved quite radical departures from the present system. Each had its strengths."

"The formula presented in this budget appears to present the best among them. We will continue to examine alternatives as they come up in the General Assembly debate on this matter."

"The state share of school costs must be raised substantially to meet our goal of 50 percent financing."

"The state-paid share of costs has actually declined in the last three years, to where we are now funding just over 44 percent of school expenses."

"Just over 10 percent (\$25,700,000) of the new funds requested will go to meeting the requirements of the teachers' retirement system."

"As has been our practice in the past, we are recommending full funding for mandated programs. Support for categorical grant programs would total \$416 million, with increases for:

- "Special education, up \$26.2 million or 12.6 percent;
- "Transportation, up \$19.6 million or 21 percent;
- "Vocational education, up \$9.3 million or 31 percent;
- "Bilingual education, up \$5.7 million or 26 percent;
- "Textbooks, up \$2.0 million or 18 percent;
- "Adult education, up \$2.2 million or 26 percent;
- "Gifted education, up \$2.8 million or 30 percent."

"Also, \$8.5 million would be appropriated for desegregation assistance, of which \$1 million would be voluntary inter-district exchanges."

"These recommended appropriations for state grants fairly reflect the board's FY 81 priorities for gifted education, bilingual education and desegregation assistance."

In recent months, the state has experienced record-high cash balances in the General Fund. Several days in October, the comptroller reported the balance to be over \$600 million available in other transferable accounts.

"Sales tax receipts are up 15 percent and state income tax revenues up 20 percent. General fund revenues are expected to increase over \$500 million next year."

"The minimum expected from the state should be to increase by 9.5 percent the funding for the education of our children — our number one priority."

Dr. Cronin also presented the proposed fiscal year 1981 budget at the board's regular meeting last week at the Bismarck Hotel in Chicago. The Budget Committee will hold a public hearing on the proposed \$2.7 billion budget, which includes about \$449 million in federal funds, Jan. 3 in Springfield.

The hearing will be conducted in the board's office at 100 N. First St., from 9 a.m. until noon Jan. 3 to solicit comments and suggestions on the proposed spending level for education.

After comments and suggestions have been reviewed, the board will decide at its Jan. 10 meeting in Chicago on a final dollar figure to request for the FY 81 budget.

Woodward on visit to Japan

Navy Gunner's Mate 2nd Class George M. Woodward, son of George B. and Mary L. Woodward, 252 Holiday Mobile Homes, Granite City, has just visited Kagoshima City, Japan.

He is a crewmember aboard the guided missile destroyer U.S.S. Henry B. Wilson. His ship is homeported in San Diego and is currently operating as a unit of the U.S. 7th Fleet.

The five-day port call followed two weeks of operations off the South Korean coast. During the visit, crewmembers had the opportunity to visit several museums and historical sites as well as the live volcano on Mt. Sakurajima.

The Wilson is 437 feet long and carries a crew of 354 officers and enlisted men. She is outfitted with guns, missiles and anti-submarine rockets.

A graduate of East St. Louis High School and a 1972 graduate of Belleville Area College with an associate science degree, Woodward joined the Navy in January 1977.

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ONLY FIVE DAYS ARE LEFT until Christmas Day and preparations for the event are bringing last-minute shoppers to area stores. Here, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth (Carla) Strong and son, Darryn, 3 1/2 years old, of Rural Route Two, Granite City, ponder the merits of a live

Christmas tree at a sales lot sponsored by Boy Scout Troop 11 on the parking area of First Assembly of God Church in the 2300 block of Madison Avenue. Richard Henken, at left, is displaying the tree.
(Press-Record Photo by Valerie Borden)

GC school self-insurance on health claims successful

Employee health insurance is functioning well in Granite City schools, said Dale C. Rea, assistant to the superintendent, said.

"We have received information from Great-West Life concerning our 1979 claims experience and rates for our self-insured coverage for 1980."

"The \$2.83 figure from the original bid resulted from an application of a 5.09 percent rate to our anticipated claims. The rate of \$3.38 for next year is actually the result of a 5.07 percent charge against projected claims in 1980."

"While the charge per employee is greater, the percentage rate being charged is actually less, and is extremely reasonable."

"The rates above take into consideration increased employee benefits to be provided effective Jan. 1, 1980 — \$75,000 overall maximum and \$25,000 psychiatric maximum."

"In determining the rates to be charged self-pay employees, the total possible loss which would be incurred by the district is converted to a premium figure based on the number of employees and dependent coverage units."

"The figure used includes the projected claims experience, the administrative fees, and the premium for the aggregate stop-loss insurance. Total projected costs of these individual items amount to \$1,055,946 for 1980."

"Expressed in the form of a monthly premium, this is a rate of \$41.92 for an individual employee or \$102.41 for an employee who also has dependent coverage."

"These rates compare quite favorably with premiums for comparable coverage from the leading provider of health and hospitalization insurance. 'It must be stressed that these rates are based on the total possible loss which could be incurred by the district. At the end of the year, rate adjustments are figured based on actual costs.'"

"This adjusted premium for 1979 was \$39.89 for individual coverage and \$75.46 for family coverage. These figures compare favorably to our 1978 rates of \$30.34 and \$78.51."

charge per employee per month.

"We are reporting proposed rate changes to be effective Jan. 1, and the method used to determine premiums to be charged various categories of self-paying members of our insurance group."

"Since the new premiums will be effective Jan. 1 and are due at that time, we are presently in the process of notifying these persons of the new rate."

"The experience summary which Great-West has presented is for the period of November 1978 through October 1979 (the last month for which benefit plan information is available), showing total paid claims of \$733,000. Great-West used this 12-month period as the basis for determining applicable rates for 1980."

"I believe that our actual experience for the months of November and December will be appreciably greater than the same two months of the previous year, and that our actual total benefits paid will approximate \$747,000. This would represent an increase in benefits paid from the previous year of \$121,000," Rea related.

"The renewal information shows projected claims payments of \$899,281 for 1980."

"This is the basis for determination of the aggregate stop-loss attachment point for 1980 of \$1,011,602. These figures compare to an estimated claims payment of \$717,249 for 1979 with an attachment point of \$896,561."

"The increase in the attachment point if equivalent to the increase of this year's paid claims over last year's. Applicable rates based on these projections seem minimal."

"There is no increase in the aggregate stop-loss premium over the present rate of 24 cents per employee per month. There is, however, an increase in the administrative fee, which is the charge we pay to Great-West for determination of benefits and preparation of checks."

"The accepted bid figure from Great-West at the time the decision was made to self-insure was \$2.83 per employee. Subsequent to the acceptance of the bid, this fee was reduced to \$2.14 as a result of the method chosen for handling reserves during the run-off of incurred claims in 1978."

"The revised rate is \$3.38 per employee per month. Normally, these charges are expressed as a percentage of paid claims. Our bid, however, had specified that these charges were to be expressed in terms of a

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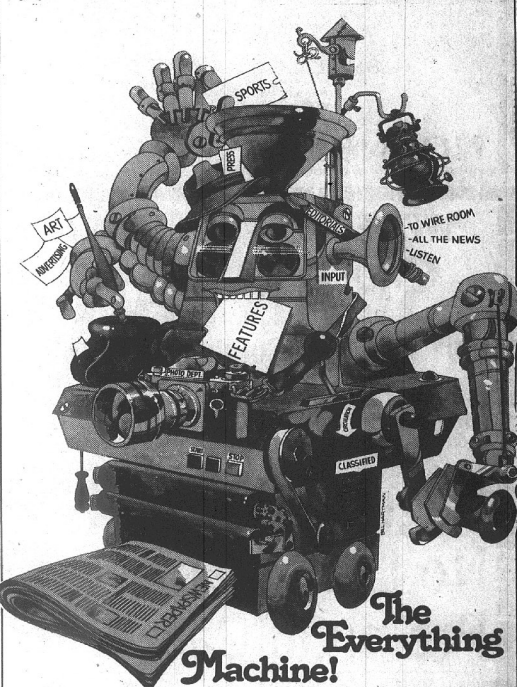
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Christmas gathering recalls 16th Century

By SUE KETTERBRINK
Not many people living today have had the opportunity to celebrate Christmas with the lords and ladies of merrie olde England, but 300 people were able to pretend they were doing just that last week when the University Center presented its first madrigal dinner concert.

The dinner involved a group of singers dressed in the costumes of 16th Century England, who presented a program of songs from that period as the audience was served the several courses of a Christmas dinner.

"Madrigal dinners began in the 16th Century. They combine the pageantry of madrigal singing with a traditional Christmas dinner," said Lyle Ward, assistant director for University Center promotions and producer of the program. "Speedy the country, madrigals have become a traditional way to begin the Christmas season."

The performers for this particular program came from the music department of O'Fallon High School. In the past, students have practiced the program all fall for one performance at the high school, and so they were thrilled to get another chance to perform it, according to their faculty directors. The singers were under the direction of Lawrence Lubway and the musicians under Vince Cosmano.

"This year, we were forced to turn away more than 100 guests with a sellout a week prior to the performance," said Ward. "Next year we hope to go to two evenings of performance."

The program began in the lounge of the University Center as the brass ensemble serenaded the waiting guests. Suddenly, two court jesters boarded through the crowd and invited all to join them in the great hall for a feast with the lords and ladies.

As all entered Meridian Hall, they were greeted with the sight of 50 tables set for Christmas dinner, with a candle burning on each. The lights were turned down low,

and the effect of the candlelight was met with "oohs" and "ahhs." After everyone was seated, the singers entered through a side door and began a procession through the hall to the stage. On the stage, a head table had been set, and the lords and ladies sat with their king behind it.

Madrigal singing, the court jesters informed the audience, was brought to England from Italy and was at first an informal type of private entertainment at the castles and country homes of landed gentry. Frequently, the lords and ladies performed the music themselves as they sat at dinner in the "Great Hall."

Madrigals are songs written for small groups in which several voice parts are combined so that each part is interesting and melodically and rhythmically.

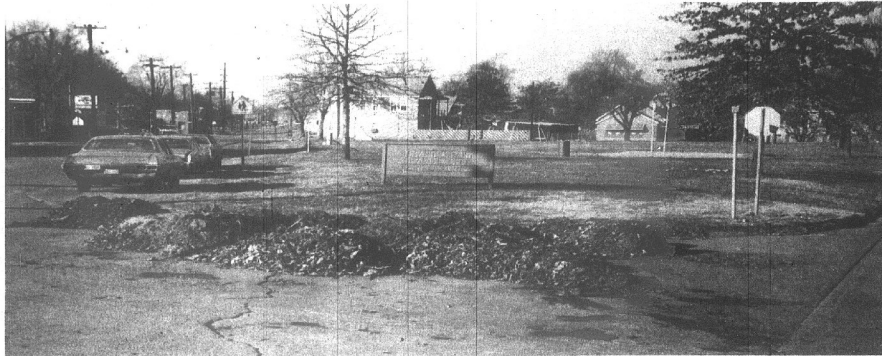
The singers performed madrigal songs about the courses being served and the era they came from as they ate along with the gathered guests. As flaming desserts were being served, the group stood to sing a set of Christmas songs from "many lands and many times."

The last song on the program was "Silent Night," and the jesters invited the audience to sing along. They also asked the audience to observe a moment of silence when the song was over while the singers proceeded out of the room. Let us be silent as the singers' voices fade from the room," they said.

The madrigals began the song, and the room became totally silent except for the sound of hundreds of voices singing the song. As the last singer left the room, the audience broke out in applause and gave the performers a standing ovation.

Car, plane deaths

In 1978, over-the-road motor-vehicle accidents accounted for 29 percent of job-related deaths and aircraft crashes for 7 percent, the U. S. Labor Department reports.



TEMPORARY DUMP on the street near the southern point of Triangle Park at Rock Road and Ohio Avenue. Several piles of debris picked up by a city street sweeper were dumped Thursday as a street department employee cleaned streets in

West Granite City. Not only are the piles blocking part of the roadway at the intersection, but also detract from the small park maintained by the Granite City Park District, residents say. This view is looking north along Rock Road, at the left.

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Men flash badge at liquor store

At 8:25 p.m. Monday, three men entered Corral Liquor Store, 3304 Namecki Road, purchased a case of beer and a pack of cigarettes and attempted to steal a bottle of liquor.

Randy Presswood, manager, said one man, described as thin, about five feet, 11 inches tall and wearing a bandana around his long brown hair, had a bottle of liquor concealed beneath his blue coat.

The second man, about five feet, 10 inches tall with a heavy mustache and "dirty" appearance, paid for the case of beer and a third man bought the cigarettes.

Presswood said the men were stopped and questioned at the door and the first man returned the concealed bottle from his coat.

They were asked to wait for the police to arrive and, at this point, the second man displayed a police-type badge and the manager.

Again they were asked to remain, but the trio walked from the store, got into a vehicle and drove away.

Weber GOP state's attorney candidate

Don Weber, Collinsville street commissioner, filed Monday for the 1980 state's attorney's race in Madison County.

Weber, a Republican, was elected to his city post last April.

He had been an assistant state's attorney in Madison County for four years until the city election, when he was dismissed from his county job by State's Attorney Nick Byron, who cited an attorney general's opinion on conflict of interest.

Weber says he has been convinced by friends, law enforcement personnel and acquaintances that he should be a candidate for Byron's job.

Weber notes that he has experience in every facet of the prosecutor's office. "I started in the juvenile division in January 1975 and worked my way up. I have handled juvenile cases, misdemeanors, grand juries and felony dockets and trials."

During his four years as a prosecutor, Weber in felony trial work, obtained a 92 percent conviction rate.

Over one 19-month period, Weber won 15 consecutive jury trials in 1977 and 1978.

He and Stephanie Robbins,

another former prosecutor dismissed by Byron after taking a city post, helped convict and send to prison 14 rapists in two years.

Does his running for state's attorney have anything to do with his dismissal by Byron? "Let's say it has something to do with it," Weber told a reporter. "What he did in April altered my opinion of Nick Byron."

Weber will be unopposed in the March primary. Byron will have to fight off three Democratic contenders in the primary—Dick Allen of Granite City, William Haine of Alton, and Steve Maragides of Madison—to meet Weber in the 1980 general election next fall.

Weber isn't sure that, if elected, his two posts would pose a conflict. "As state's attorney, he'd be the one deciding, he said with a grin.

If there was a conflict, he would resign from the city council. "I could do more good in the prosecutor's office than the street department," he said. However, Weber believes he could hold both jobs and be effective in both. "I couldn't have, with the way the street department was; but I could now."

Despite a shaky start, Weber believes the street department is now running well and that Collinsville is seeing the results in better streets.

Although he didn't want the job of street commissioner at the time, Weber says he is glad now that he got it.

Weber is optimistic about his chances of being the first Republican elected county-wide in the last 12 years.

Although he admits that he will have to persuade a large number of traditionally Democratic voters to support him, he feels the task is within reach.

He believes the voters "are ready to choose a

professional, experienced, proven prosecutor over a politician, and will cut across party lines to elect one."

Weber says the inherent flaw in Byron's campaign is that he has been in office too long. "You lose a perspective. It's time for new blood, a fresh face. . . I don't have any debts, or connections, in the courthouse. Noting recent federal investigations within Madison County, Weber says as state's attorney he would see that such federal actions were unnecessary.

"Madison County doesn't need federal agents coming in to clear up the county. The county ought to do it," he said.

Weber would keep a close rein on plea bargaining, personally making the final decision himself for plea bargaining in murder, armed robbery and rape cases. He would advocate an eight-year minimum, rather than six, for rape convictions.

Swimmers, joggers in benefit tomorrow

The Tri-City Area YMCA Swogathon 1979 will take place this Friday, Dec. 21. The special fund-raiser will feature YMCA members of all ages swimming and—or jogging laps.

Each participant has solicited sponsors on a per lap basis ranging from two cents to two dollars per lap. Joggers will be completing their laps in the gymnasium primarily between 5 and 6:30 Friday evening.

"If you have sponsored a

swimmer or jogger, the YMCA encourages you to come down and cheer that person on. Swimmers will be completing their laps on the same day and have signed up for specific 20 or 40-minute "time slots," Physical Director Ed Mercer said.

The "Y" swim team will have the bulk of its swimmers doing their laps during their practice on Friday from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Some of the youngsters have pledged to swim 200 or more laps.

Anyone interested in sponsoring a Swogathon participant may call Mercer at 876-7200.

STEAL WEAPONS

Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson, 1611 Twenty-fourth St., arrived home from work last week and found the kitchen window open. Missing from the dwelling were a .38 caliber snubnose blue steel revolver, worth \$200, and a .22 caliber blue steel revolver with a four-inch barrel.

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